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FLETCHER—In ever-loving memory of my dear son, Company Sergeant-Major Thomas J. Fletcher, South Irish Horse, who died from wounds received in action at Rouen Hospital, France, 11th April, 1918. Inserted by his father, George Fletcher, Ballycullane, Portarlington.

HILL—In fond and loving memory of my darling nephew, Lieutenant Sam. G. Hill, who was killed off the coast of Italy (Taranto), April 12th, 1917.

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In the gentle, quiet gloaming
How we miss the loved and lost.

STEWART—In proud and never-failing memory of my beloved husband, Lieutenant-Colonel Hugh Stewart, D.S.O., M.C., R.A.M.C., killed in action, in France, 12th April, 1918. "Until the day break and the shadows flee away."

## BIRTHS.

HOPKINS—April 8, 1923, at Wentworth place, Wicklow, to Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hopkins, a son.

MAY—March 28, 1923, at St. Elmo, Rosh, to Mr. and Mrs. G. T. May, a son.

PENDER—April 7, 1923, at "Beechgrove," Dunmore, Strathbally, Queen's Co., to Richard S. and May V. Pender, a daughter.

## MARRIAGES.

BLACKWOOD and DONALDSON—April 4, 1923, at First Presbyterian Church, Belfast, by Rev. J. Irwin Stoops, M.A., James Jenkins, second son of Samuel and Mrs. Blackwood, of Castle Armagh, to Tilly, youngest daughter of Alexander and Mrs. Donaldson, Tullyvillen, Newtownhamilton.

HORNE and WADE—March 5, 1923, at Makuyu, Kenya, B.A., by Rev. Brandrath, Edward Butler Horne, D.C., Forthall, to Marjorie, third daughter of the late R. Rockfort Wade and Mrs. Wade, Carrowmore, Ballinasloe.

MAGAN and NIBLOCK—March 3, 1923, at Belawney, by Rev. Father Kendal, S.J., Margarete Mary, third daughter of the late Michael Magan, Killasser, Co. Longford, to Bryce Frood Niblock, Rhodesian Medical Service.

NADEN and O'DOWD—April 2, 1923, at the Church of St. Saviour, Brondway, England, by the Rev. Father George, P.P., Bernard Grove Naden, only son of Edward Naden, High st., Broadway, to Edie O'Dowd, daughter of William O'Dowd, Dalkey, Co. Dublin.

VALENTINE and VALENTINE—April 5, 1923, at Kilmaine Church, by the Rev. Canon Glover, Frederick John, son of the late Edward and of Mrs. Valentine, Leamore Park, Newcastle, Co. Wicklow, to Jane (Jennie), daughter of the late William and of Mrs. Valentine, Flemingtown House, Naas, Co. Kildare.

## DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this Column will be found on Page 6.

BATT—April 9, 1923, at Hove, Brighton, Emma, widow of the late Joseph Batt, of De-Burgh rd., Dublin.

CURTEIS—April 10, 1923, at 13 Clifton ter., Brighton, Elizabeth Anna, widow of the late G. H. Curteis, M.A., Canon of Lichfield Cathedral, and daughter of the late Edmund E. Ball, of 5 Clare st., Dublin.

DUNNE—April 10, 1923, at her parents' residence, 6 Anne st., Dundalk, Sara, third daughter of John and Mrs. Dunne. R.I.P. Remains were removed to St. Patrick's Church yesterday (Wednesday) at 7.30 p.m. Funeral to St. Patrick's Cemetery to-day (Thursday) at 2 o'clock.

FOLEY—April 10, 1923, George S. (son of late Captain Foley), Lieutenant, Royal Irish Regiment, Dublin. Funeral, Mount Jerome, to-morrow (Friday) morning, 10 o'clock.

HACKETT—April 10, 1923, at his residence, 42 Marlborough rd., Donnybrook, William Samuel Melville Hackett, aged 61. Funeral to Dean's Grange Cemetery to-morrow (Friday), the 13th April, 9 o'clock a.m.

HADDEN—April 7, 1923, at Brinsy Rectory, Ripon, Co. Cork, of pneumonia, Joan Elizabeth, youngest child of Rev. R. W. H. and Mrs. Hadden, aged 1 year and 10 months.

HARTFORD—April 2, 1923, at his residence in Cape Town, Joseph Hartford, third son of the late Thomas Hartford, Abbeyleix.

HASLAM—April 8, 1923, at the residence of her son-in-law (T. R. Antisell, 6 Albany rd., Cardiff), Jane Gibson, widow of the late James Haslam, Rockview, Birr. Funeral from Methodist Church, Birr, this (Thursday) morning, 11 o'clock.

HEARN—April 11, 1923, at Private Nursing Home, Dublin, Mabel Kathleen, third daughter of the late Rev. D. J. Hearn, Kilmurry, Co. Cork, and the late Mrs. Hearn, 1 Cullenswood place.

LAVELLE—April 9, 1923, at her residence, Waterside, Wakefield, Bristol, widow of the late Michael Lavelle. Deeply and deservedly regretted by her sorrowing family. R.I.P.

MORTON—April 10, 1923, at Ruane, Strokestown, Co. Roscommon, Charles Hawkes Morton. Funeral to-day (Thursday), at 2 o'clock, to Strokestown.

O'LOGHLEN—April 7, 1923, at Cashel Bay, Recess, dearly-beloved third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O'Loghlen. On her soul, Sweet Jesus, have mercy.

REID—April 11, 1923, Christopher Reid, Holmfield, Athy. Funeral, at 3 o'clock, to-morrow (Friday) from St. Michael's Church.

WALLACE—April 11, 1923, at 50 Denzille st., Dublin, after a short illness, Gilbert Webster Wallace. "I know that my Redeemer liveth." Funeral private. No flowers, by request.

## ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

Mr. Bryans and family return thanks for the many telegrams, letters, and expressions of sympathy tendered to them in their recent bereavement, and trust their many kind friends will accept this acknowledgment, as it is impossible to reply to each individually.—15 Richmond Cottages, N.C.R.

Mr. James Smyth and family desire to tender their sincere thanks to all kind friends who sent letters and messages of sympathy to them in their recent sad bereavement, and trust they will accept this acknowledgment.—Phœnix Dairy, Ashtown, Co. Dublin.

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ALLEN—In very loving and reverend memory of William Edward Allen, who died at Commonwood House, Chipperfield, Herts, on April 12th, 1919.

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HUDDLESTON—In memory of mother (Sarah Huddleston), much loved, who passed away 12th April, 1918. Psalm xxiii.—Dad.

KENNEDY—In loving memory of Catherine Kennedy, who died on 15 St. Mary's rd., Ballsbridge, the 12th April, 1921. R.I.P.

SAINSBURY—Second Anniversary—In loving memory of dear Mrs. Sainsbury, called Home April 12th, 1921.

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Dated this 11th day of April, 1923.

B. R. W. DORAN, Solicitor for Executors, 5 Saint Andrew street, Dublin.

To all persons concerned.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE IN SOUTHERN IRELAND. CHANCERY DIVISION—LAND JUDGES. LAND REGISTRY OF IRELAND. CENTRAL OFFICE, DUBLIN.

LOCAL REGISTRATION OF TITLE (IRELAND) ACT, 1891.

And of the

APPLICATION OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT BOARD FOR IRELAND.

Application No. 12388.

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The said Local Government Board have applied to have the registration of their title to the said lands made subject only to such burdens as are set out in the Application as to such of the burdens mentioned in Section 45 of the said Act as may affect the lands.

The Application and the Map may be inspected in the Central Office.

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GENTLEMAN'S Watch Found, town; describe and pay for advertisement.—M 1446, this office.

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A FEW Singer Hand Sewing Machines, secondhand, in perfect order, for only £5 each.—55 Dawson street. 11 A

CASH Register, National make, six drawer type, as new in every way; will be sold cheap.—M 1277, this office. 10 F

DUST Blue, galvanised iron, from 8/6.—Works, 33 Jervis street. X

FOR Sale, Cash Register, detail perfect.—3 Marlay's Cross road. 7 E

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NEW National Cash Register, for 1 or 3 assistants; total adder, gives receipts; cost £120; take half price.—Gormley, Newsboard, Westmeath, st. (opposite Four Courts), Dublin.

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SAFE, Fireproof, good as new; cheap; seen in city; no dealers.—M 1447, this office. 12 A

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TABLE Cloths and Napkins, finest hand woven Double Damask Cloths, 2½ x 2½; Towels, fine linen damask, embroidered; beautiful Chintz Curtains, 5 pairs; Muslin Curtains, Slate Leg Table, other things; lady leaving house.—24, Irish Times Branch Office, Blackrock. 6 D

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A NEW Maxwell 6 Seater for Sale, £350 and carriage duty free; also 2 Chalmers 6 Cylinder 5 Seater Touring Cars, owner driven, as new, bargains.—Sanderson and Co., 3 and 4 Lower Dominick st., Dublin. 10 F

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OVERLAND Model 4 5 seater, owner driven, 15 h.p. perfect running, tyres as new; a bargain.—A. Boyd, Mountmellick. 11 A

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1923 FORD Touring Cars, with or without starters, in stock. Sell last duty while stock lasts; also Trucks and Tractors. Apply G. A. Lee, Ford Dealer, Birr. 8 D

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WANTED, Swift 10 or 12 Two Seater, 1922; state lowest price.—M 1237, this office. 9 F

WANTED, Light Car or Cycle Car, 6 or 8 h.p.; perfect order not necessary; state lowest.—M 360, Central Stores, Portarlington. 11 A

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No Import Duty until present stock exhausted. First come, first served with Sapheone, New Imperial, Diamond, Levis, P. and M., Harley Davidson, etc. Many bargains in Secondhand Combinations and Solo Machines. Wayte Bros., Lennox street, off Grafton street. T

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CONNAUGHT consumption, 1922 model; just run in; £70, no reasonable offer refused. Apply J. Moran, 20 Aungier street. 10 F

CUBOS, 1923 new, 2 speed, clutch and k.s., £48; Osmond 1923 Lightweight, £28; Douglas 2½, 2 speed, grand order, £27; Royal Enfield 1920 Combination, £55; Rudge Multi Combination, £45; Harley, 4 Five Twin, 1921, £55; James 3½, 2 speed, 1921, £30; Royal Enfield 2½, 1922, £45; Douglas, not in order, £15; auto wheel, £2. Send Postcard, from £5 to £10.—Fitzgerald, 128 Stephen's Green. 9 X

FOR Sale, Rudge Multi 3½ T.T., consibault torpedo Sporting Sidecar; new condition. Best offer.—M 1420, this office. 11 A

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THE Duty of Motor Buyers Bureau is to get a "Rudge," which is the best and latest in Motor Bicycle practice. Fix fees we need you explains all. Write for particulars, or call at the "Rudge Shop"—Rudge-Whitworth, Ltd., 1 Stephen's Green. 11 F

TRIUMPH 4 h.p. type S.D., new, £85; duty free.—M 1216, this office. 9 F

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WINE Porter—Respectable Boy, under 18, Wanted by City Wholesale Firm. Apply, with all particulars, M 1080, this office. 7 D

WELL educated young Lady required, with good experience of office work, quick at figures; hours 9 a.m. to 5.30 p.m. Apply, with copies of testimonials, stating age, experience, and salary expected, to M 1418, this office. 9 E

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## VICTORY OF ST. JAGO.

As is always the case on Conyngham Cup day, the crowd was much larger yesterday both in the general enclosures and outside on the course, where the country folk, true to custom, mustered in great strength, and very thoroughly did they seem to enjoy themselves. So, for that matter, must have everyone who had the good fortune to be present, for the weather was gloriously fine and warm, and the sport, if anything, was even more interesting than on the opening afternoon. It was, indeed, a splendid day's racing, worthy the best traditions of Punchestown, which is saying a good deal, and, carried out as it was under ideal conditions, he would be hard to please who could find fault. The Governor-General and the President of the Free State Executive were again present, accompanied by some friends, and they were delighted with their experience.

### Splendid Sport.

Though no outstanding performance marked the proceedings, the sport maintained a fine level of excellence right through the piece. The Conyngham Cup, a race which has been won in the past by such good horses as Come Away, Frigate, Royal Meath and Covert Hack, to mention but a few, was, to judge by the wagering, generally voted to lie between James Pigg and St. Jago, who looked none the worse of the exertions of the previous day, when he finished second to Pride of Arras for the Maiden Plate, the only one of the other eight runners to have a quotation being Croft House. The latter, however, fell early, and for quite a long way Castlewrixon Wire looked like effecting a turn up. Indeed, it was not until halfway up the straight that the more fancied pair caught her, and, served by a nice pull in the weights—he was in receipt of 27lb. from James Pigg—St. Jago scored rather easily in the end. The winner, who made a slight mistake at the penultimate obstacle, is a very useful horse who jumps and stays well, and should gain further laurels for his owner, Major C. Mitchell.

The La Touche Memorial Cup, instituted in memory of the late Mr. Percy La Touche, who was so closely identified with the fortunes of Punchestown, and which takes the place of the National Hunt Cup, brought out a fine field of "foxcatchers," including representatives from the Ward Union, Kildare, Meath, Co. Down, Tipperary and Limerick Boundt. On the strength of her success in the Ward Hunt Cup, Mrs. Drummond was promoted to the head of the wagering, best backed of the others being Conny and South Lake, whilst Zirek, who has been running point-to-points recently, was supported to a man by the locals. Falls were numerous, only four of the twelve runners completing the course, amongst those to come down being Conny, and a mile from home Mrs. Drummond, Real Eager and Zirek were out by themselves, and when the first-named assumed a clear lead after the wall had been negotiated she was loudly acclaimed the winner; but Zirek quickly lessened the gap, and, mustering all of speed on the flat enabled the son of Zria to catch and beat the favourite after a fine set-to.

### Many Mishaps.

Grief was also abundant in the race for the Bishopscourt Cup, seven of the twelve moderates who contested it falling, and the best of them proved to be Rough and Ready, who was not so much fancied as several of the others, but he always dominated the position and made light of the efforts of the favourite, White Diamond II., to dispute the issue with him.

There were several mishaps in the Downshire Plate, for which Bachelor's Belle, accounted unlucky in the Ladies' Cup on Tuesday, was installed favourite from Rising Moon and Ada, whilst others well backed were Volage Lass, Glencar, and Her Boy. The last named drew out with such a long lead that a mile from the end that his victory seemed assured until a bad mistake at the second last fence put him out of court. Then Bachelor's Belle flattered, but slipped up on the flat, and Rising Moon keeping Ada at bay won a trifle easily. It subsequently transpired that Her Boy broke his back when he came down.

Silvermore was never fairly extended in the Gowran Grange Plate, in which he readily beat

## YESTERDAY'S COURT CASES

### PROFITS ON BARLEY SALES.

MESSRS. GUINNESS'S APPEAL.

Yesterday in the Law Courts, Dublin Castle, in Court No. 4, before the Lord Chief Justice, Mr. Justice Dodd, Mr. Justice Pim, and Mr. Justice Samuels, the case of Guinness, Son and Co., Ltd., v. Morris and the Commissioners of Inland Revenue was mentioned in order that a day might be fixed for the hearing.

The case comes before the Court on a case stated by the Commissioners for the special purposes of the Income Tax Acts. Messrs. Guinness appealed against the additional assessment of income tax arising out of their sales of stocks of barley by direction of the British Government. The following are the assessments appealed against:—£20,450 for the year ending 5th April, 1919; £17,217 for the year ending 5th April, 1920; and £20,114 for 1921; and they further appealed against an assessment for excess profits duty in the sum of £126,014 (subject to a set off in respect of deficiencies in previous accounting periods) for the accounting period of three months ending 30th June, 1917. The questions raised on the appeal is whether certain profits arising from the sale of barley ought to be included as profits arising from a trade or business carried on by the appellants for the purpose of assessment of income tax and excess profit duty.

Mr. Phelps said that he appeared for Messrs. Guinness.

Mr. S. L. Brown, K.C., said he appeared, with Mr. Sullivan, K.C., and Mr. Denning K.C., for the Inland Revenue. This was a case of very great importance, and would certainly run into two days.

Lord Chief Justice—It is a case that should be heard by three judges?

Mr. Brown—Yes.

The Court fixed the hearing for Monday, the 30th inst.

### MANCHESTER INTERNEE.

HABEAS CORPUS APPLICATION.

Before the Master of the Rolls, sitting yesterday in Court No. 2 at Dublin Castle, the case of Arthur FitzGerald O'Hara v. the Attorney-General and others was mentioned. It was listed in Mr. Justice Powell's Court on an application on notice for a writ of *habeas corpus* on behalf of Mr. O'Hara, a tailor, of 22 Furnival street, Manchester, who was arrested last month on an order signed by the Home Secretary and deported to Ireland, where he has been interned by the Free State Government.

The application for a writ of *habeas corpus* was made ex-parte on the 29th March before the Master of the Rolls, who allowed notice to be served on the Government for the first day of the Easter sittings.

Mr. John O'Byrne, who (instructed by Mr. Corrigan, Chief State Solicitor) appeared for the Government, said that the notice had only reached them last Monday, and the notice had been so short that it was quite impossible for them to be in a position to deal with the case that day. They had communicated with the plaintiff's solicitor, and told him that they would apply that day for an adjournment.

The Master of the Rolls said that a writ of summons had been issued by the plaintiff, and the writ was attached to Mr. Justice Powell's Court. Strictly speaking, the application for an adjournment should come before Mr. Justice Pim (who is acting for Mr. Justice Powell); but there would be no objection to his formally adjourning it.

Mr. Wood, K.C., with whom was Mr. W. J. Gleeson (instructed by Mr. Philip H. O'Reilly), for the plaintiff, said the only matter was as to the date to which the matter should be adjourned.

Mr. O'Byrne suggested the 18th inst.

Mr. Wood—And have the affidavit by next Monday.

Mr. O'Byrne—I will do my best.

The Master of the Rolls adjourned the case to the 18th inst.

### SEQUEL TO GARAGE FIRE.

In Court No. 4 (King's Bench Division), at Dublin Castle, before Mr. Justice Pim, in the case of Thomas Donohugh, 9 Talbot place, Dublin, motor car owner, against Bewley, Sons and Co., Ltd., 20 Henry street, Dublin.

Mr. Philip Smyth (instructed by Mr. A. E. Walker), for the plaintiff, applied for an order for discovery of documents. The action was brought to recover damages for the breach by the defendants of a contract of bailment in respect of a motor car and for the negligence of the defendants and their servants. In July, 1921, it appeared, the plaintiff entrusted a motor car to the defendants, who own a motor garage in Prince's street, Dublin, on the terms that they would take proper care of it while in the garage, the plaintiff agreeing to pay 14s. a week to the defendants. The car was set on fire on the 16th of July, 1921, in the garage, and was greatly damaged; and the plaintiff claimed £80 damages. The defendants denied any contract.

The application was granted.

### ACTION AGAINST TRAVELLER.

In Court No. 4, before Mr. Justice Pim, in the case of Cecil Scott, 142 Pembroke road, Ballsbridge, accountant's clerk, v. Chester Nugent, 53 Northumberland road, Ballsbridge, commercial traveller.

Mr. J. M. Fitzgerald (instructed by Messrs. Stewart and Orr), for the plaintiff, applied for an order giving liberty to issue subpœnas *ad testificandum* out of the jurisdiction directed to James Moore Pollin, solicitor, 41 Donegall street, Belfast; Elizabeth Bailie, of Stormont View, Knock, Belfast, typist, and Thomas McGorry, of 56 and 58 Ann street, Belfast, draper's assistant, to attend to give evidence at the trial of the action. The action was brought for alleged crim. con.

Mr. Justice Pim granted the application.

### APPOINTMENT OF A RECEIVER.

In Court No. 4, before Mr. Justice Pim, in the case of the Leeds Woollen Co., Ltd., v. John Kennedy,

Mr. Devitt (instructed by Mr. William Dwyer) applied for an order on behalf of the plaintiff appointing a receiver by way of equitable execution over a sum payable to the defendant by the Minister of Finance in respect of criminal injury. Counsel moved on the affidavit of Mr. Dwyer, solicitor, which stated that on the 26th March last the plaintiff recovered judgment against the defendant for £70 5s. 10d. and £2 2s. 9d. costs. The defendant obtained a decree for criminal injuries against the County Council of Tipperary (North Riding) for £5,500 and £70 6s. 9d. costs. The decree had been reviewed by the Compensation (Ireland) Commission, and the defendant had been awarded £5,182 12s. 2d. and £70 6s. 9d. costs. Particulars of the award were published in the *Iris Oifigiuil*.

Mr. Justice Pim granted the application, and appointed Mr. John J. McDonald, solicitor, receiver by way of equitable execution.

### WRIT OUT OF JURISDICTION.

In Court No. 4, before Mr. Justice Pim, in the matter of the intended action of John O'Neill, Ltd., of the Lucania Works, Pleasants street, Dublin, v. James Nesbitt, cycle agent, of Warrenpoint, Co. Down,

Mr. Devitt (instructed by Mr. John J. McDonald) applied on behalf of the intended plaintiffs for an order giving leave to issue and serve a writ out of the jurisdiction on the defendant who resides in Warrenpoint, in Northern Ireland. The action was intended to be brought to recover £28 9s. 6d., the price of three bicycles and their carriage. The contract, it was stated, was made within the jurisdiction of the Court.

Mr. Justice Pim granted the application.

### R.A.F. INTELLIGENCE.

The following appointments in the Royal Air Force are notified:—

General Duties Branch—Flight Lieutenants—R. H. C. Usher, A.F.C., to R.A.F. Depôt; G. T. Richardson, to School of Photography, South Farnborough, for course of instruction; G. M. Bryer, A.F.C., to R.A.F. Base, Gosport.

Flying and Observer Officers—H. F. F. Saunders, to No. 100 Squadron, Spitalgate; Observation Officer H. J. Collins, ditto; C. A. Rees, ditto; R. G. Delamain, M.C., to School of Photography, South Farnborough, for course of instruction; Observation Officer W. H. Dunton, ditto.

Stores and Accountants Branch—Flying Officers Accountants—L. J. Mardon, accountant, to Record Office, Bristol.


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## DUBLIN AND THE PROVINCES.

TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS.

Gaiety Theatre—"The Gondoliers," 7.45 p.m.
Theatre Royal—"Come on Steve," 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Queen's Theatre—"The King of Dublin," 6.45 and 8.45 p.m.
Olympia Theatre—"Oh! I Say!" 6.45 and 8.45.
Tivoli Theatre—Variedes, 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Abbey Theatre—"The Shadow of a Gunman" and "Sovereign Love," 8.15 p.m.
Metropole Cinema—"Blood and Sand," 3 p.m.
La Scala Theatre—"Cutler's Last Stand," 3 to 10.30.
Grand Central Cinema—"Roaring U.P. Trail."
Bohemian Picture Theatre—"Princess Jones."
Princess Cinema, Rathmines—"Ashamed of Parents."
Stella Cinema, Rathmines—"A Debt of Honour."
Pavilion, Dun Laoghaire—"The Eternal Flame."
Senate and Dail 2 p.m.
City Commission—11 a.m.
Dublin Port and Docks Board—2 p.m.

### DUBLIN.

BIRCH FOR BOY BURGLARS.—Three boys, named Maher, Shore and Jordan, were charged in the Dublin Police Court yesterday with breaking into Mrs. Annie Filgate's provision shop, at 8 Summerhill, and stealing £7 10s. The entry was effected by Maher, while the other defendants waited outside. With the stolen money the boys bought chocolates and went to the "pictures." Maher gave his mother £2 0s. 6d., and admitted that it was stolen. The magistrate ordered the defendants to receive six strokes of the birch. The parents of Shore and Jordan were ordered to pay £1 each compensation, and Mrs. Maher was directed to restore the money given to her by her son. Each defendant was required to find bail in £5 to be of good behaviour for the next two years.

ACCOUNTANTS' STUDENTS' SOCIETY.—The first of a series of meetings under the auspices of the Chartered Accountants' Students' Society was held at the Metropole Restaurant on Tuesday, when there was a large attendance of students and their friends. The proceedings took the form of a mock shareholders' meeting. A very instructive and entertaining discussion took place on the accounts submitted to the shareholders, and the evening was brought to a close by a most enjoyable musical programme contributed by Messrs. F. W. Maguire, Norman Maguire, M. J. M. McKeown, P. H. Robinson, T. J. Neary, with Miss Maureen McCartan at the piano.

RURAL HOUSING.—At the meeting of the Rathdown (No. 2) Rural Council yesterday, the Clerk read a letter from the Minister for Local Government, stating that he had under consideration the question of providing funds for rural housing, and that the Council would do well to defer consideration of the representations received by it under the Labourers' Act until such time as the Minister is in a position to state definitely the terms upon which such funds would be available. A councillor observed that that was cold comfort for the men of the rural districts. He did not see why some money could not be given towards rural as well as urban districts.

GUARDIANS' APPOINTMENT.—At the meeting of the Dublin Guardians yesterday, Nason J. Crone was appointed temporary male lunatic attendant in the workhouse by twelve votes to nine. At the request of a guardian, a letter from the Local Government Department, read at the last meeting of the Board, was re-read. The Department intimated that its decision not to sanction the appointment of this man was final, and could not be reconsidered. The auditor would probably hold the guardians who are responsible liable for the extra expense incurred in advertising the position.

PRISON FOR ROBBING GAS METER.—William Brennan, who pleaded guilty in the Dublin Police Court yesterday to a charge of having broken and robbed a gas meter at 77 Lower Mount street, was sent to prison for a month. The defendant, in a statement, admitted breaking the lock of the meter, and on different dates stealing coppers amounting to 7s. or 8s. The defendant also stated that he left the house when his mother found that he was robbing the meter.

STOLEN CHEQUES.—Joseph McDonnell, no home or business, who was charged in the Dublin Police Court yesterday with stealing two cheques for different amounts from the Wallpaper Company, 183 Great Brunswick street, on March 29, was sent to prison for four months. The defendant entered the premises and demanded money from the manager, who refused to give him any. When he left the shop two cheques were missed, and were subsequently traced to the defendant. He stated that he had been drinking at the time.

SCRAP IRON EXPORTS.—Regular shipments of twisted iron and steel girders and rails are taking place from the Port of Dublin. These rails of inferiority destroyed bridges and railways go to English and Scottish foundries to be re-cast. A cargo left yesterday while a vessel from Antwerp brought in new girders.

NATURALISTS' FIELD CLUB.—A meeting of the Dublin Naturalists' Field Club will be held in the Royal Irish Academy, Dawson street, this evening, at 8 o'clock, when Mr. M. J. Gorman will read a paper, illustrated with lantern slides, on "Some Fungus Galls." Visitors will be welcomed.

### CONNAUGHT.

EXPENDITURE TO BE LIMITED.—Roscommon County Board of Health yesterday had before it plans and specifications for improving the County Home. The Secretary explained that £7,000 had already been expended on improvements. It was decided to postpone consideration of the plans, a member remarking that with the country in its present state it was no time to spend money.

### LEINSTER.

JUDGE ON BRIGHTER OUTLOOK.—Addressing the Grand Jurors at Wicklow Quarter Sessions yesterday, Judge Dromgole regretted that they had a heavier task than had ever fallen to the lot of a County Wicklow jury. There were eighteen indictments, which was far above the average. It was a heavy list, even when spread over a considerable period, but they knew that there had been certain irregularities, and for some time people really thought that they could commit a lot of these things with impunity. That state of affairs was coming to an end. They were dealing with criminal arrears over a period of a year and a-half. Referring to the large attendance of jurors he said that it was encouraging for the future of the country, and they could take it as a good omen. After all, whatever Government was in power, the security of persons and property throughout the country rested with the people themselves, and when they had the jurors attending, and prepared to do their duty in the administration of the law, he thought that they might look forward with confidence to the future.

DELGANY HOTEL LICENCE REFUSED.—At Wicklow Quarter Sessions yesterday opposition was offered to the application of Miss McParland, Delgany Hotel, for a new hotel licence, which, she pleaded, was required because of the great number of visitors to Delgany. Opposition was based on all the statutory grounds, and, after evidence, the judge, holding that the accommodation was insufficient and the necessity not imperative, dismissed the application. There was room for a hotel like the applicant's, and people could come for a week-end without requiring drink.

RAN INTO A LAMP.—James Killeen, ploughman, Blacklion, sued the Greystones Electric Supply Company, Greystones, at Wicklow Quarter Sessions yesterday, for damages for injury, sustained by hitting his head against an unlighted lamp-post on the night of December 19 last. Contributory negligence in rushing wildly from a house was pleaded. A sum of £10 was awarded.

INFIRMARY AND PRIVATE HOSPITAL.—Wexford County Council has decided to let County Wexford Infirmary at a rent of £10 a year, for use as a private hospital. The infirmary was closed a month ago in consequence of the Council's decision to cease payment of the annual subsidy towards its upkeep.

42 YEARS A MIDWIFE.—King's County Hospital and Homes Committee has granted the midwife of Kilcormac district, who recently resigned after forty-two years' service, a superannuation allowance of £50 13s. 6d. The salary of the surgeon to the County Hospital, Tullamore, has been fixed at £400 a year.

LONGFORD HOTEL CLAIMS.—Longford Hotel and Garage Company, Ltd., has lodged claims with the District Council for £2,500 for the burning of offices and stabling, and £4,600 for the destruction of garage and motor cars.

COUNTY COUNCIL IN FUNDS.—At the meeting of Wexford County Council, the Secretary reported that rates to the amount of £40,342 had been lodged with the treasurer. He added that the Council was now as well off as any council in Ireland.

£12,000 CLAIM.—Wexford Rural District Council has received a claim for £12,000 from Mr. Michael Doyle for the burning of his residence and out-offices on February 21 and March 21.

PRESENTATION TO BANK MANAGER.—Mr. P. F. Purdon, manager of the Northern Bank in Bray, who is retiring, has been presented with an illuminated address and a cheque by a number of friends.

### MUNSTER.

QUEENSTOWN'S OLDEST INHABITANT.—Mr. Edward King, a retired pilot, and Queenstown's oldest resident, celebrates his hundredth birthday to-day. He has lived in Queenstown for fifty-three years. Mr. King first served in an East India company's clipper for eighteen months, and then joined the Navy, being posted as a petty officer instructor to a training ship at Queenstown in 1850. He was invalided out of the Service and became a coasting pilot. In 1869 he was appointed pilot by the Cork Harbour Board. He retired in 1881. Mr. King walks on the pier and waterfront daily, reads the newspapers, writes a good hand, and does much water-colour painting. He is a life-long teetotaller and a non-smoker.

ALLEGED ROBBERY OF PENSIONERS.—At Tralee Martin Houlihan and Michael Whelan were committed for trial in custody on charges with having, on February 25, broken into the house of David Carrol at Ardoughter and robbed him and his wife of £44. The old couple, who are very feeble and are in receipt of the old age pension, said that they had saved the money for their funerals. A National Army sergeant said that on the day after the alleged robbery Houlihan entered the Lixnaw Barracks and said that he would "stand a gallon of porter to the company." In the evening Houlihan "stood drinks" in a local public-house. He was a labourer, but never did much work. He was "a sort of a sportsman." (Laughter.)

RATES IN KERRY.—The new system of paying the rates into the bank adopted by the Kerry County Council is working very satisfactorily. A beginning was made with North Kerry, which was the most backward part of the county in its payments. The demands were sent out on March 15, and between that date and the 31st a sum of £9,000 was paid. The County Council staff is now sending out demands to the other districts. These demands are for the second moiety of the 1921-22 rate.

EX-R.I.C. MAN'S DEATH.—A verdict of accidental death was returned at the resumed inquiry in Queenstown yesterday into the death of Thomas Cahill, an ex-member of the Royal Irish Constabulary, whose body was found on a railway line underneath a bridge from which he had fallen. Two railings had been displaced, and the theory was advanced that the man, who was nearly blind, pulled away the railings in the belief that he was pulling open his front door and that he then stepped through the hole.

BAD WEATHER OFF QUEENSTOWN.—Shipmasters arriving in Queenstown Harbour since Monday report bad weather in the North Atlantic. Early on Sunday morning a strong easterly wind sprang up, which during that night developed into a gale. Four large steamers which were off the Irish coast at the time put into Queenstown for shelter. The weather has now moderated considerably, but there is still a considerable sea running. Three of the steamers have resumed their voyages.

ALLEGED LOOTING OF RUINS.—Michael O'Connor, a labourer, of Ardfert, was committed for trial at Tralee yesterday on a charge of the larceny of timber, slate, and stone from the ruins of Ardfert Abbey. The accused man, it was stated, admitted having taken the material from the burned mansion. He saw others taking it, and thought he might as well have some.

QUEENSTOWN'S RATES REDUCED.—Queenstown Urban Council has reduced the township rates by 14d. in the £, a recommendation of a sub-committee to reduce the labourers' wages from £3 10s. 4d. a week to £2 15s. has been adopted by the Council.

### ULSTER.

MONAGHAN CREATES A WORLD "RECORD."—The number of roads being maintained to the square mile in County Monaghan is greater than in any area in the whole world," said Mr. J. J. Hannigan, County Surveyor of Monaghan, at a meeting of the Monaghan Rural Council. "That might seem incredible," he continued, "but it is perfectly true. People coming in from other counties and from other parts are surprised at the number of roads we are maintaining." Mr. Hannigan said that the Free State Government might pass laws making the main and trunk roads a national charge. Probably the Government would pay one-half the cost of maintenance and the County Council the remainder. The main roads would be tarred, and that would effect a great saving. Farmers might object on the ground that tarred roads would sometimes be slippery, but that could be remedied by keeping the roads well sanded. Tarring would effect great economy by increasing the life of the roads and by reducing the amount now spent on scavenging.

BALLYBAY SHOOTING CHARGE.—At Ballybay, Co. Monaghan, Bridget Markey, Greagh, was formally charged in connection with the death of her aunt, who was killed by a shot discharged from a revolver which the accused girl was handling. At the inquest a verdict of accidentally killed was returned. The prisoner was discharged, the magistrate saying that she left the court without a stain on her character.

LABOURER'S FAMILY OF 15.—At the meeting of the Inishowen, Co. Donegal, Rural Council applications were received for the erection of labourers' cottages. The Chairman said that he would support the application of a bona fide labourer with the largest family. One of the applicants said that he was the father of sixteen children. The Chairman—That settles it, you are entitled to the cottage.

CIVIL BILL OFFICER'S DIFFICULTIES.—At Donegal Quarter Sessions a solicitor reported that over fifty civil bills issued by one firm for ordinary debts had been returned by the civil bill officer, who said that his house had been raided and the copies of the civil bills taken away. The judge said that service by registered letter would be permitted.

PAUPER WITH AN "ESTATE."—It was reported to the Carndonagh, Co. Donegal, Hospital Committee that a man who had been in the workhouse for a year owned property in Londonderry and had over £700. It was decided to claim the cost of his maintenance.

SON SUCCEEDS FATHER.—Stranorlar, Co. Donegal, Rural Council has appointed John McNulty, of Stranorlar, relieving officer in succession to his father, who held the post for thirty-six years and who has retired on superannuation.

## NORTHERN IRELAND.

PEACEABLE TYRONE.—Addressing the Grand Jurors at Omagh Crown Sessions yesterday Judge Linehan said that he was glad to be able to report to them the conditions that he had offred them at the last Quarter Sessions on the restoration of peace and good order in County Tyrone. He found that good order prevailed everywhere, and he was glad to say that criminal business, which hitherto had occupied so much of his time at Quarter Sessions, had been reduced almost to vanishing point.

BELFAST WOMAN SERIOUSLY BURNED.—Mrs. Elizabeth Harvey, of 5 Elswick street, Belfast, was severely burned yesterday as the result of her clothing catching fire, and her husband, Sergeant John Harvey, Royal Ulster Constabulary, was burned on the hands while endeavouring to save her. Both were taken to hospital, where Mrs. Harvey's condition is regarded as serious. The sergeant's injuries are slight.

SEIZED GOODS "RESCUED."—In sentencing Mark Byrne, Ardaneer, Castlederg, to a month's imprisonment at Omagh Crown Sessions for "rescuing" a horse and cart which had been seized on account of a civil bill decree, Judge Linehan said that the prisoner had committed an act which struck at the efficiency of the County Court. If that sort of thing were tolerated the procedure of the County Court would be ineffectual and its decrees could not be enforced.

NURSES' SALARIES.—Nurses in Strabane District Hospital have applied to the Commissioner in charge of the Union affairs for a increase in their salaries. They say that they are the lowest paid of any district hospital nurses in the North. The Commissioner stated, in reply, that he would inquire into the salaries paid elsewhere, and again consider the application.

BIGAMIST'S EXCUSE.—At Belfast Commission yesterday William McKenzie was convicted of bigamy, sentence being deferred.

INJURED ON DERRY BUS.—A decree for £5 was granted at Londonderry Recorder's Court to Hugh McCrudden, a Limavady tinsmith, compensation for injuries received while a passenger on a Londonderry Corporation 'bus.

STRABANE COTTAGE RENTS.—The Northern Ministry of Home Affairs has sanctioned an increase of sixpence a week in the rent of the Strabane Rural Council's four hundred cottages.

## WEATHER FORECAST.

*General Inference.—The shallow depression centred off the South-West coast is now showing a tendency to spread slowly over these islands. Weather will be mainly cloudy and rather warm, and there is a probability that some rain or showers will fall in most places, with thunder locally.*

*N.W., N.E., S.E. and S.W. Ireland.—Light, indefinite winds; variable cloud; local rain or showers; thundery tendency; visibility poor to moderate; rather warm.*

*South-West Seaboard, Mouth of Channel to South-West Ireland.—Wind light or moderate, variable in direction; cloudy; probably some rain or showers; mist locally; sea slight.*

*Irish Sea and St. George's Channel.—Wind indefinite or south-easterly, mainly light; cloudy; probably some rain or showers; mist locally; sea slight.*

*North-West Seaboard, Northern Ireland to Hebrides.—Wind south-east or east, light or moderate; cloudy; local rain or showers; mist locally; sea slight or moderate.*

Dixon and Hempenstall, Barometers and Forecasters, 12 Suffolk street, Dublin.—(Advt)

BAROMETER.

Dublin—Wednesday ..... 29.50

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN BAR.

To-day....Morning 9. 6 Evening ..... 9.42
To-morrow.. .. 9.56 .. ..... 10.28

SUNRISE AND SUNSET.

To-day....Rises .. 5.35 Sets ..... 7.18
To-morrow.. .. 5.33 .. ..... 7.20

LIGHTING-UP TIME ..... 8.18 P.M.

HIGH WATER.

BELFAST.

To-day....Morning 8.43 Evening ..... 9. 9
To-morrow.. .. 9.25 .. ..... 9.43

QUEENSTOWN.

To-day....Morning 2.54 Evening ..... 3.24
To-morrow.. .. 3.46 .. ..... 4. 5

## FROM THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Thursday, April 12th, 1923.

COURT OF APPEAL.—At 11 o'clock. Motion—The King (Bowman) v. Hardy and anor. Appeals—Workmen's Compensation Act, O'Leary v. Tyler and Sons; Workmen's Compensation Act, Byrne v. Campbell. For to-morrow. For Hearing. New Trial Motion—Fairclough v. Archer.

HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE—CHANCERY DIVISION.—Lord Chief Justice of Ireland to Master. Before the Examiner, at 11.30 o'clock—Veh. acct., Bulger, Harrison and Gordon; do., M'Lean; do., Organ and Swanzy; do., Fryer and Gordon; 103rd Section, veh. acct., Reilly. Lord Chief Justice Chambers. Before the Chief Clerk, at 11.30 o'clock—Barrys, minors, Dickie; Hutchins, a minor; Leahy, minors; Darlington, minors; O'Dea, minors; Reilly, minors; Lambert and Warburton, minors; Gillat, a minor. Before Mr. Murphy, at 11.30 o'clock—O'Mahony, a minor, accts.

ROLLS COURT.—In Court No. 2 (at the conclusion of the Court of Appeal list). To be Mentioned as to mode of hearing; Action—Gerrard v. Gerrard; Paramore v. Hall; Arms-Mather v. Colleran; Martin v. Martin; O'Connor v. Sutton; Reade v. Dwyer. Adjourned Memoranda—Co.'s Acts and Long and Co., Ltd. (Kerr's Estate); same (re Estate of Ireland's Child); same (re claims of Long family). For Hearing. Action—M'Dail v. Alexander. Motion, at 11.30 o'clock (Room 47)—P. Musser, decd.; Price v. Keeley; R. C. M'Cheane, decd.; Meagher v. M'Cheane; M. J. Blake, decd.; Brogan v. Blake; M. Daly, decd.; Dunne v. Dunne; J. Spellman, decd.; Spellman v. Spellman; M. M. Holmes, decd.; Holmes v. Murphy. Before the Assistant Chief Clerk, at 11.30 o'clock (Room 49)—Carter v. Stubbs; F. J. A. Deasley, decd.; Gaffney v. Higbed.

MR. JUSTICE POWELL.—For to-morrow. Before Mr. Justice Dodd. To be Mentioned (to fix date for hearing). Actions—Hardy v. Hardy; Bennett v. Crinnion. Adjourned Summonses and Memo.—Webster v. M'Dermott; Barton v. Castlemaine; Butler v. Butler. Before the Chief Clerk (Room 46)—Armstrong v. Armstrong; Tighe v. Tighe; M'Evoy, minors; Good v. Barrett; Rowland v. Hinton.

CONSOLIDATED TAXING OFFICE.—Master Dunning, at 11 o'clock—A person of unsound mind, G.S., H. J. Murphy and Co.; a person of unsound mind, G.S., H. V. W. Bowyer; a person of unsound mind, same; Mannix, decd., C. J. Murphy; Chester v. Armstrong; same; same v. same, H. F. Thompson; same v. same, W. G. Wilson; Dawson v. Lismore Timber, and four Wills, W. J. Magnier; Nolan, decd., T. H. Kenny. Master Macnamara, at 11 o'clock. Exparte Taxations—Estate Minors, G.S., W. Fry and Son; same, G.S., same; Mulholland v. Mulholland, same; Gordon v. Gordon; Estate Thorne (P. Power, R.I.P., Power; a person of unsound mind, W. Mooney and Son; a person of unsound mind, G.S., same.

LAND JUDGES.—At 23 Upper Merrion street. Registrar's Office. Miss Dickinson, Examiner; at 11 o'clock. Applications for Directions—Mollowny v. Herbison, from 19th ult.; Ward v. Conroy, &c.; M'Cracken v. M'Namara. At 13.30 o'clock. Receiver's Accounts—Bell, Ltd., R. Smith, C. E. Robinson, Master. Mrs. W. H. estate, from 29th ultimo, H. J. W. Dowsey (adjourned till 18th inst.); Reardon v. O'Connor, from 30th ult., A. J. Reilly; same v. same, same. At 12.30 o'clock. Land Case—E. I. Lawrence, R.O. 6311 and 6363, south.

KING'S BENCH DIVISION.—In Court No. 3, at 10.45 o'clock. Crown side—Exparte motions. Civil side—Exparte motions. Summonses—Wallace and Co. v. Copeland and anor.; Kerrville v. Dukes; Percival and anor. v. Dooley; Cope v. O'Malley. On Notice—Smith v. Wilkes; Mortelleti v. De Lacey; Cuffe v. Wilkes; Kennedy v. Kavanagh; Mansfield v. Chesty; Walsham v. Walsh; same v. same and ors.; Provincial Bank of Ireland v. Dyer; Farmer's Shipping Supplies v. Simpson; National Land Bank v. Purser; Hamilton v. Carr; Hamilton v. Burton; Northern Banking Co. v. Good; Ellison v. Deane; O'Connell v. Cork Electric Tramways and Lighting Co.; Kenelin v. Meehan; Tench v. Hosser; Kerr and anor. v. Minister of Defence and anor.; Byrne v. Gorman and anor.; Feddiman v. Mooney; Donnelly v. Byrne; Bank of Ireland v. Triston; Mowlds v. Dublin and District Coop. Society.

TRIALS BY JURY.—All Jurors, County and City, special and Common, summoned to the Easter Sittings for Trials by Jury on this morning, are required to attend at 11 o'clock at the Law Courts, Dublin Castle—the Special Jurors in Court No. 4, the Common Jurors in Court No. 3; and all Jurors not answering their names when called will be fined, and will, after the termination of the sittings be summoned again as Jurors to whatever Court may first require their attendance. Before Mr. Justice Pim. In Court No. 4, at 11 o'clock. City Special for a day to be fixed—Goddard v. Lenahan-O'Keeffe (possession). Before Mr. Justice Samuels. In Court No. 3, at 11 o'clock. City Common (for a day to be fixed)—Bartholomew v. Nugent (breach of warranty); McGovern v. Postlethwaite and a counterclaim (breach of contract); Manning v. Gore (personal injuries); Kerr v. Higgins (slander); Kavanagh v. Prendergast (probate); Monks v. Maugan (personal injuries); Smyth v. O'Neill (breach of contract). For Friday To. Mention—Stevenson v. Dolan and anor. For Hearing. Non-Juries—Boyle and anor. v. McGlynn (probate); Kidd and Ors. v. Supple (insurance premiums); O Brien v. O'Shaughnessy (assault).

LAND REGISTRY.—At Henrietta street. Before the Registrar, at 12 o'clock—Application of Hester Caroline Vandeleur, No. 10,782. Objection of Lieut.-Col. Wm. R. P. Kennedy, Bette and Louise Wilson.

BANKRUPTCY.—Before the Chief Registrar, at 11 o'clock—Travers', Ltd., re sale of Mr. E. J. Bollits; Green, re E. and J. Keating. Gray and F. Fitzgerald; Deasley v. Last and Keating.

IRISH LAND COMMISSION.—Examiners' Chambers. Before Mr. Stubbs, at 11 o'clock—Duke of Devonshire, R.C., 2.31, discharge rulings. 2.30 o'clock—E. J. Wynne, K.C., 10.22, week. Before Mr. Sullivan, at 11 o'clock—Sir Canon Wm. Blood Smith, K.C.B., 1.15, week.

COURT OF THE LORD CHIEF JUSTICE OF IRELAND.—At the Courthouse, Green street, at 11 o'clock. City Commission—Con.

## MUSICAL FESTIVALS.

### PORTADOWN AND COLERAINE.

A four days' musical festival was opened in Portadown yesterday, when Sir Ivor Atkins adjudicated in the competitions for children.

Miss Winifred Abraham won first place and a silver medal in the girls' solo competition. Miss Doris Bell was just one mark behind the winner, with 85 marks.

The children's duet was won by the Misses Peggy Watson and Myra Mason, who, with 95 marks, scored just one point more than the Misses Doris Bell and Eileen Crozier.

At the musical competitions in Coleraine on Tuesday the girls' open solo was won by Miss Jean McComachie, of Derry, and Miss Maisie Parkhill, of Coleraine, secured the second place.

Solo sight singing—1, Kathleen McQueston, Ballyveely; 2, Georgina Woodrow, Portrush.

Boys' open solo—1, Donald P. Lamont, Ballycastle.

Piano solo—1, Ruth Nicholl, Dervock; 2, Marian Smith, Coleraine.

Boys' duet—1, David Caulfield and Sam Henderson; 2, Trevor Clinton and Kenneth Clinton.

Senior violin—1, Miss Hexlet, Portrush.

Girls' duet—1, Lily Edmiston and Sara Ross; 2, Hannah Cunning and Elizabeth Opherl.

Male quartette—1, Hugh Clements, T. Walker, J. Stockman, and Edward Walker.

Church choirs—1, New Row Presbyterian Church choir; 2, Coleraine Methodist Church choir; 3, Aghadowey Church choir.


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### THE ROYAL VICTORIA EYE AND EAR HOSPITAL.

The monthly meeting of the Council of the Royal Victoria Eye and Ear Hospital was held on Tuesday, the 10th inst., Mr. J. Andrew in the chair. Also present—Messrs. G. Byrne, F. C. Crawley, F. V. Gordon, Hon. Treasurer; H. C. Mooney, T. S. M'Cann, Hewitt R. Poole, L. Werner, and Major Whewell.

The minutes of last meeting were read and signed.

The report of the Finance Committee was read and approved, and cheques to the amount of £789 4s. 6d. in discharge of bills recommended by the Committee for payment were signed.

On the recommendation of the Medical Board Mr. J. D. Cummins was unanimously appointed Junior Surgeon, and Mr. H. B. Goulding Assistant Surgeon to the hospital.

The numbers treated at the hospital during the past month were as follow:—Intern Department—Admitted 156, discharged 165. Average number of beds occupied 94.6.

Extern Department:—Total number of visits paid by extern patients during the month was 2,924, giving an average of 121.9 attended to daily throughout the month.

The following contributions received since last meeting are gratefully acknowledged:—M. H. Franks, D.L., £2; the Misses Quinn, £5; the Royal Liver Friendly Society, £1 1/-; the Dowager Lady Walsh, £1 1/-; the Lucania Cycle Works, £1; Miss Robertson, £1; J. Murray, Esq., £5 5/-; Mr. Dooling, 10/-; Mrs. Corscadden, £50 10/-; John F. Murphy, Esq., £1; Anonymous, £1; the Vulcan Boiler, 10/-; Grateful Patients, £1 13/-; the Rev. Canon Sheerin, £1; Mrs. S. L. Rohde, £1; Miss M. H. Bridge, £1; Miss R. Longfield, £1; Robert Rimes, Esq., £1 10/-; Miss F. J. Bridge, £1; Rev. J. Keville, £1; Right Hon. Viscount Monck, £1; Miss E. Atkinson, £2 2/-; Mrs. Forrest, Portrush, and Co., £1 1/-; M. Brett, Esq., £1; Mrs. Bewley, £2; Louis Bewley, Esq., £5; Mrs. Berry, 10/-; Herbert Wynne, Esq., £2 2/-; the Right Hon. the Lord Chief Justice of Ireland, £1 1/-; A. T. Brown, Esq., £10 10/-; W. Duffy, Esq., £1.

Also for the Matron:—Mrs. Cusack, sack of apples and ten dozen eggs; J. J. Galley, flowers; Mrs. Harrison, books for the children; Mrs. Kelly, Mrs. Moran, flowers; Miss Bell and Mr. McDowell, bottles; Mr. and Mrs. Rogers, books and toys for children; Miss Florrie Livingston, toys; Mrs. Cullhane, Mrs. H. C. Mooney, and Mr. R. H. Mathews, magazines; Miss Greening and Mrs. Walker, knitted bandages; daily paper, *Irish Times*, etc.

## FOREIGN MAILS.

### POSTING DAYS IN DUBLIN AND BELFAST.

Correspondence should be posted in time for the evening mails to England on the posting days shown below. Where a particular route is mentioned—"via Panama," for example—letters, etc., should be so marked:—

Argentina, Bolivia, Chile, Paraguay, and Uruguay:
By Houlder Line ..... April 12
By Italian packet ..... April 16
By Nelson Line ..... April 17

Ascension and St. Helena: Direct ..... April 25

Australia (letters and post-cards): Via Suez ..... April 18

Bahamas: Via New York ..... April 12

Belgian Congo (excl. Katanga): By Belgian packet ..... April 15
Do.: By French packet ..... April 26

Bermuda: Via New York ..... April 12

Brazil (Rio, Santos): By Italian packet ..... April 16
Do. (Rio, Santos): By Nelson ..... April 17

British Honduras and Turk's Island: Via New York ..... April 12

Canada (May Post only): Direct ..... April 12
Do. (incl. Mag. Post): Via New York ..... April 12

Canary Islands: By S.D. ..... April 13

Cape Verde Islands: Direct ..

PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

GAIETY THEATRE.
THE RATHMINES & RATHGAR MUSICAL SOCIETY.
This Evening at 7.45, and Saturday Evening,
THE GONDOLIERS.
To-morrow (Friday) Evening and Saturday Matinee,
THE YEOMEN OF THE GUARD.
FULL CHORUS. AUGMENTED ORCHESTRA.

Next Week THE GARDEN OF ALLAH.
DIRECT FROM DRURY LANE THEATRE.

OLYMPIA THEATRE
6.45.....TWICE NIGHTLY.....8.45
ENORMOUS SUCCESS!
OH! I SAY!
"One Long Laugh from Rise to Fall of Curtain!"
Full West End Co. from the Criterion Theatre, London.

ABBEY THEATRE.
TO-NIGHT (THURSDAY), FRIDAY and SATURDAY, at 8.15 p.m. Matinee Saturday, 2.30.
First Production of
"THE SHADOW OF A GUNMAN,"
By Sean O'Casey.
"SOVEREIGN LOVE,"
By T. C. Murray.
Booking at Theatre, and at Cary's, Lower O'Connell street. Phone—3369.

QUEEN'S THEATRE.
6.45 ..... TWICE NIGHTLY ..... 8.45
THE FAMOUS IRISH MUSICAL COMEDY,
"THE KING OF DUBLIN."
THE BEST SHOW IN TOWN.
Seats Booked at Theatre, 2/4. Tel.—5016.
NEXT WEEK: THE LORD MAYOR.

BOHEMIAN PICTURE THEATRE, PHIBSBORO' ROAD.
TO-DAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY,
ALICE CALHOUN in "PRINCESS JONES."
A Delightful Comedy Drama,
By Joseph Franklin Poland.

PRINCESS, RATHMINES.
"ASHAMED OF PARENTS."
A Powerful Drama of Parental Sacrifice.

METROPOLE CINEMA.
RUDOLPH VALENTINO
IN THE SUPERB PRODUCTION,
"BLOOD AND SAND,"
WITH LILA LEE AND NITA NALDI.
Wonderful Scenes of Bullfighting in a real Arena. Scenes of Dancing and Revelry, filled with breathless thrill, adapted from the Famous Novel by
VINCENTE BLASCO IBANEZ.
DAILY, at 3, 5, 7 and 9 p.m.

METROPOLE RESTAURANT.
DAILY ..... 12.30-2.30.
Orchestral Music. High-class Cuisine.
Light Luncheons and Afternoon Teas served.

METROPOLE BALLROOM.
FRIDAY, 13th APRIL:
CLONGOWES UNION DANCE. 9 p.m.-3.30 a.m.
Tickets ..... 21/-
SATURDAY, 14th APRIL:
DANCING—3-11. (Evening Dress). Tickets, 5/-.
Under direction of Mr. T. Leggett Byrne.

STELLA, RATHMINES.
"A DEBT OF HONOUR."
ETHEL M. DELL'S
WELL KNOWN NOVEL, FEATURING
ISOBEL ELSOM
AND CLIVE BROOK.

THE CLONGOWES UNION.
25th ANNUAL DANCE,
METROPOLE TO-MORROW (FRIDAY), April 13.
Mr. Harrison's Full Orchestra.
DANCING, 9 to 3.30.
Tickets, ONE GUINEA, can be obtained from VINCENT KENNEDY, Hon. Secretary, 16 Dame street, Dublin; or from MANAGER, at Metropole.

ROYAL ULSTER AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.
63rd ANNUAL SHOW,
BALMORAL, BELFAST.
MAY 24-25.
PRIZES - - - £3,647
ENTRIES CLOSE—
Stock and Implements, April 16th.
Poultry and Produce, May 2nd.
KENNETH MACRAE, Secretary.
Balmoral, Belfast.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

COUNTY BOROUGH OF DUBLIN.
REGISTRATION OF ELECTORS.
EXTENSION OF PERIOD FOR CLAIMS.
As already announced, the Lists of Electors for the several Wards of the County Borough of Dublin may be inspected at the office for the Registration of Voters, Exchange Buildings, Lord Edward street, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. daily (Saturdays, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.). Any person may claim to be registered (1) as a Parliamentary and Local Government Elector; (2) as a Parliamentary Elector only; or (3) as a Local Government Elector only. A person may also claim to be registered correctly if his or her name is entered in an incorrect place or manner, or with incorrect particulars. The period for receiving such claims has been extended to the 25th April, 1923.
Forms of Claim may be obtained, free of charge, on personal application at my office, on indicating the nature of the form required.
JOHN J. MURPHY, Town Clerk,
Deputy Registration Officer.
Exchange Buildings, Lord Edward street,
Dublin, 11th April, 1923. K.A.A.

CITY OF DUBLIN Y.M.C.A.,
LOWER ABBEY STREET.
THE ANNUAL PUBLIC MEETING
of the Association will (D.V.) be held on
TO-MORROW (FRIDAY), at 7.30 p.m.
in METROPOLITAN HALL.
The following will (D.V.) take part:—
Presidential Speaker—
GIPSY PAT SMITH
(One of the Famous Gipsy Evangelists);
Rev. T. C. HAMMOND, M.A.;
Rev. F. C. GIBSON, B.A.
Rev. J. M. ALLEY (Pres. Methodist Church),
And Others.
Chairman—Sir HENRY M'LAUGHLIN, K.B.E.,
Special Singing by Y.M.C.A. United Choir.
EVERYBODY WELCOME.

RAILWAYS.

MIDLAND GREAT WESTERN RAILWAY.
ROSCOMMON (PIG),
CASTLEREA (PIG),
CLAREMORRIS (CATTLE)
FAIRS,
MONDAY, 16th APRIL, 1923.
On SUNDAY, 15th APRIL, a Special Passenger Train will leave Dublin (Broadstone) at 9.0 a.m. for Roscommon, Castlerea, and Claremorris, calling at Maynooth 9.50 a.m., Kilcock, 9.41 a.m., Enfield 9.58 a.m., Hill of Down 10.20 a.m., Kilfaddy 10.35 a.m., Mullingar 10.51 a.m., Castletown 11.17 a.m., Moate 11.53 a.m., Athlone 11.58 a.m.
M. F. KEOGH, General Manager.
Broadstone Station.

COASTING STEAMER FOR SALE.
FOR SALE, Steam Drifter, built in 1917, with carrying capacity 100 tons, net tonnage 35 tons; length over all 90 feet, beam 19 feet, with 54 horse-power compound surface condensing engines. This is a very handy Boat in first-class condition, and has been used in the Coasting Business within the past year, and must be sold to wind up an Estate. Price and further particulars apply to
GEO. McCRACKEN, Solicitor, 46 Upper Arthur street, Belfast.

MONEY Lent by Post, from £50 to £5,000, on Note of Hand alone, without security, to ladies or gentlemen, strictly private. No charge whatever if Loan is not granted. Apply SECRETARY, The City and County Private Finance Co., Ltd., 12 South Leinster street, Dublin.

ADVERTISEMENTS.
The following is the order of advertisements in to-day's IRISH TIMES:—

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PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

THEATRE ROYAL
6.45. ..... TWICE NIGHTLY. ..... 9.0.
HAYMAN and YORK present
SCOTT AND WHALEY,
In a Fantastic Farce with Music, in Seven Scenes,
"COME ON STEVE!"
ALL-STAR CAST INCLUDES
SCOTT AND WHALEY,

WINTER GARDENS CAFE.
LADIES' ORCHESTRA. 1 to 3.30 and 4 to 6 p.m.

TIVOLI (6.45 and 9 Tel. 4125) THEATRE
JACK STOCKS, JACK HANA and his
The Woman Hater. JAZZ GIRLS.
The Basmas. Lois Conn.
May Morrissey. Tom Bruce.
LECARDO BROS.

PAVILION, DUN LAOGHAIRE
ENORMOUS SUCCESS.
LAST 3 DAYS OF
NORMA TALMADGE
IN HER SUPREME TRIUMPH,
"THE ETERNAL FLAME."
At 4, 6.30 & 8.40. Mack Sennett Cdr., etc., etc.
Next Monday: "The Mystery of the Yellow Room."

LA SCALA THEATRE.
CONTINUOUS. 3-10.30. TO-DAY.
"CUSTER'S LAST STAND,"
Featuring
WESLEY BARRY,
JAMES KIRKWOOD,
MARJORIE DAW.
FULL PROGRAMME OF COMEDY AND INTEREST SUBJECTS.

LA SCALA BALLROOM.
DANCE
(Under Direction of MISS MAY LEE).
TO-NIGHT,
7.45 TO 11 O'CLOCK
Mr. W. A. MANAHAN'S BAND
(Personally Conducted).
TICKETS (at door) ..... 3/- and 5/6 each.

GRAND CENTRAL
CINEMA.
ZANE GREY'S
"ROARING U.P. TRAIL."
THE PICTURE OF THE YEAR, IS BREAKING RECORDS.
THRILLING. STUPENDOUS.
Very Funny, and Sometimes Sad.
LAST THREE DAYS. DON'T MISS IT.
Our Exquisite Orchestra will Delight You.

WEST & SON,
JEWELLERS,
SILVERSMITHS, AND WATCHMAKERS.
RINGS
OF QUALITY and DISTINCTION in
DIAMONDS,
EMERALDS, SAPPHIRES, PEARLS.
SOLID SILVER CUPS
For Race and Hunt Meetings.
EXCLUSIVE DESIGNS.
SHOWROOMS.
GRAFTON HOUSE,
102 & 103 GRAFTON STREET,
DUBLIN.

J. W. ELVERY & CO., LTD.
LADIES' WATERPROOF AND RAINPROOF COATS.
SUMMER TWEEDS,
COVERT COATINGS.
ALL LATEST STYLES.
LEATHER MOTOR COATS.
CHILDREN'S COATS, CAPES, AND HOODS.
PATTERNS AND PRICES ON APPLICATION TO THE
ELEPHANT HOUSE,
45 & 46 LR. O'CONNELL ST., 76 MID-ABBEY STREET, 54 NASSAU STREET, 55 DAWSON STREET, } DUBLIN.
ALSO AT CORK AND LONDON.


CONTRACTS.

URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL OF DUN LAOGHAIRE.

NOTICE TO BUILDING CONTRACTORS AND OTHERS.

ALTERATIONS PREVIOUS TO INSTALLATION OF BOILER.

Tenders are invited from Contractors for the carrying out of the Structural Alterations which will be necessary for the Installation of a new Cornish Boiler at the Dun Laoghaire Baths.
Plans and Specification can be inspected at the Office of the Town Surveyor, Town Hall, Dun Laoghaire.
Tenders, which should be properly sealed, and endorsed "Alteration for Boiler Baths," will be received by me up to 6 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, 17th April, 1923.
Signed.
J. SHERLOCK VAUGHAN, Town Clerk.
Town Hall, Dun Laoghaire,
11th April, 1923.

CITY OF DUBLIN ELECTRICITY SUPPLY.

The Electricity and Public Lighting Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin are prepared to receive Tenders for the Supply of the following:—
SINGLE PHASE AND 3-PHASE METERS AND SLOT METERS FOR THE PERIOD OF ONE YEAR.
Specification, with Terms and Conditions and Form of Tender, may be inspected at the Office of the City Electrical Engineer, Fleet street, on and after 12th April, 1923, and may be obtained from the latter on payment of £1 1/-, which sum will be refunded on the return of the Specification, filled up, with a bona fide Tender.
Tenders (sealed and marked "Tender for Electricity Meters") must be addressed to the Chairman Electricity and Public Lighting Committee, Fleet street, Dublin, and be delivered not later than 12 o'clock noon on Monday, 30th April, 1923.
Each Tender must contain the names of two sureties who will be prepared to execute a joint and several bond for the due performance of the Contract in a sum of 50 per cent. of the contract price.
The Committee do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any Tender, and the Contract will be subject to ratification by the Municipal Council.
JOHN J. MURPHY,
Town Clerk-Secretary.
Electricity and Public Lighting Committee's Offices, Fleet street, Dublin, 11th April, 1923.

GRANGEGORMAN MENTAL HOSPITAL.
TENDERS FOR MARGARINE INVITED.
The Joint Committee invite Tenders for the Supply of Margarine (Irish manufacture) to the Grangegorman Mental Hospital, Dublin, and Portrane Branch Mental Hospital, Donabate, Co. Dublin, for the period from 25rd April to 30th September, 1923.
Printed Form of Tender and information as to probable quantity required, may be obtained on application to the Storekeeper, Grangegorman Mental Hospital. A sample 1 lb. of the margarine proposed to be supplied must accompany Tender, but under separate cover and sealed. The following particulars must also be stated in Tender—(a) Brand; (b) name and address of manufacturer; and (c) analysis.
The Contract must be executed by Trade Union labour.
Sealed Tenders, endorsed "Tender for Margarine," must be deposited in the Tender Box in the Office of the undersigned not later than 2 o'clock p.m. on Thursday, April 19th, for consideration by the Joint Committee at their Meeting that day.
By Order
JAMES J. DOYLE,
Acting Chief Clerk (pro tem.).
Grangegorman Mental Hospital, Dublin,
April 10th, 1923.

HOWTH URBAN COUNCIL.
TENDERS are required for the erection of twelve Houses for above Council. Right are to be built at the Filter Beds Site and four at Sutton Lane.
Plans and Specification may be inspected at the Architect's Offices, Messrs. Higginbotham and Stafford, 34 Nassau street, Dublin.
Bills of Quantities and Forms of Tender may be obtained from Mr. P. B. O'Rourke, Quantity Surveyor, No. 1 Suffolk street.
Tenders under Seal to be delivered to the Town Clerk, Council Offices, Howth, on or before 5th May, 1923.
The lowest or any Tender will not necessarily be accepted.

ROYALTY AT NEWBURY RACES.
The King and Queen intend to be present at Newbury races on Friday and Saturday.
The Lord Chamberlain announces that the King and Queen will hold Courts at Buckingham Palace on the following dates at 9.30 p.m.:—Wednesday, May 30; Thursday, May 31; Wednesday, June 13; and Thursday, June 14.

It is announced that the Chinese and Japanese Governments have appointed a Commission to discover the sources of the morphine consignments which are smuggled


The Irish Times.
THURSDAY, APRIL 12, 1923.


## NEWS SUMMARY.

### IRELAND.

The Easter Sittings of the High Courts were opened yesterday in the new Courts in Dublin Castle. Seven of the judges were present, and there was a good attendance of the Bar.

At an inquest held on Liam Lynch in Clonmel yesterday the jury found that he had been shot by National soldiers in the execution of their duty.

The National Army Headquarters announces that six men were executed at Tuam yesterday morning for having been found in possession of arms without proper authority.

The conference of landlords and tenants, which was to report to the Free State Government on arrears of rents and purchase price in connection with the new Land Bill has failed to agree.

The Wexford County Council has passed a resolution asking Monsignor Luzio to endeavour to bring about peace in Ireland.

### GREAT BRITAIN.

The Labour members were so disorderly in the House of Commons yesterday that the Speaker had to adjourn the House.

### ABROAD.

Troops were called out at Amritsar yesterday to quell a faction fight between Hindus and Mussulmans.

A slight improvement in Lenin's general health is reported.

Mr. Howard Carter, the late Lord Carnarvon's director of excavations at Luxor, has been taken ill, and Lady Carnarvon has delayed her departure from Cairo.

German Communists in Memel have revolted against the Lithuanian rule. A collision has occurred with the Lithuanian troops, and three Germans were killed.

Our Berlin Correspondent says that Herr von Rosenburg, the Foreign Minister, will make definite and concrete reparations proposals to France in the course of the next few days.

Serious *sabotage* is reported from the Ruhr. The town of Buer has been fined 50,000,000 marks, and an eight till six "Curfew" imposed.

The trial by the Soviet Government of the Patriarch Tikhon has been postponed. The Soviet leaders are quarrelling among themselves, the Moderates urging the cancellation of the trial owing to the storm of protests from abroad.

### SPORTING.

At Punchestown yesterday the La Touche Memorial Cup was won by Mr. J. C. Kelly's Zirek, and the Conyngham Cup by Major C. Mitchell's St. Jago.

At Pontefract Darragh won the Pontefract Three-Year-Old Plate.

## COURT AND PERSONAL.

The Marquis and Marchioness of Crewe are staying at Cannes. Lord Crewe's health is improving, and he hopes to be able to return to Paris by the end of the month. His stay in the South has been saddened by the death of his sister, the Hon. Mrs. Arthur Henniker, which occurred in London last week.

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The Earl of Brecknock, elder son and heir of the Marquis Camden, celebrates his twenty-fourth birthday to-day. He holds a commission in the Scots Guards, and married, in the year when he attained his majority, Miss Marjorie Jenkins, only child of Colonel A. G. Jenkins, of Wherwell Priory, Andover. His father, the fourth Marquis Camden, is the great-grandson of the first Marquis, who was Lord Lieutenant of Ireland from 1795 to 1798.

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Lord Lambourne, who has promised to act as President of the Committee at the Royal International Flower Exhibition at Ghent, will leave London to-day for Belgium. Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Bentinck are visiting their married daughter in Warsaw, where there has been a succession of British visitors lately. Viscountess Massereene and Ferrard is there at present, and General the Earl of Cavan will pay an official visit next month.

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Lord Wester Wemyss, Admiral of the Fleet and formerly First Sea Lord, and Chief of the Naval Staff, celebrates his fifty-ninth birthday to-day. He is the son of the late Mr. J. R. Erskine Wemyss, M.P., a descendant of the fourth Earl of Wemyss, and has had a distinguished career in the Royal Navy. He was raised to the peerage in 1919, and he and Lady Wester Wemyss, née Mortier, live chiefly at Cannes, but spend the season at their residence in London.

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Lord Dalmeny is entertaining a house-party at Mentmore for Aylesbury Races. His guests include Lord and Lady Stanley, Major the Hon. Harold and Mrs. Pearson, Mr. and Mrs. James de Rothschild, and Captain and Mrs. McDougall. Colonel the Hon. Walter and Lady Evelyn Guinness have returned to London from Paris. Lady Kathleen Villiers and Miss Angela Villiers have returned from Italy and have taken a house in London for the season.

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The marriage is announced, and will take place quietly at the R.C. Cathedral, Nottingham, on April 18th, of Charles Cox, Esq., Wayside, Hoveringham, Notts, and Dr. Eileen Ryan, Church Fields, Old Baseford, Notts, eldest daughter of J. J. Ryan, Esq., LL.D., Innisfail, Thurles.

Switzar's Millinery Buyer has returned from the Markets with beautiful French Models and smart Hats for Punchestown.—Grafton st. Salthill Hotel, Monkstown—Now quoting special terms.

Race Gowns and Millinery, and for occasions. Madame Doyle's collection of novelties now on special show.—Wicklow street, Dublin. Trois Pieces. Costume in gabertine and foulard, 7½ guineas, at Slyne's, Ltd., 71 Grafton street.

Costumes, Blue Serge, Tailored latest style, from 5½ guineas.—F. G. Bryson, 3 Church lane, two doors from College Green P.O.

PASSENGERS ON ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.
Arrivals:—Percy T. Wyatt, Mrs. Nellie Tyndall, Sir George and Lady Roche, Mrs. Gordon Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. John Doyle, J. Gratton Doyle, R. G. M. Russell, Miss Shellard, Miss J. Scott, Miss Lily Quinn, A. Frankish, R.N.R., F. C. Adderley, R.N.R.; J. H. Stoddart, E. N. Moore.
Departures:—Mrs. Powell Anderson, E. A. Graham, Captain and Mrs. D. V. McCollum, Mr. and Mrs. S. Goodman, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Montgomery, Mrs Sparkhall Brown, Captain J. J. Morgan Gaul, Miss Brew, Pierce V. Corbet, D. R. G. Hudson, W. J. Clarke.

Spring Sale of Furniture Furnishings and White Goods this week at McBirney's.

Smart, moderately priced Millinery. Inspection invited.—M. Cathcart, 26 Dawson st.

Gibson and Co., Ladies' Tailors. Specialists in designing and cutting. All models made on the premises. Inspection invited. 141 1/ Dagger st.

Mourning Orders executed on the shortest notice. —Davis and Co. (late Ogilby's), 46 Grafton street.

Tweed Costumes (Tailor Made), 4½ gns. Very Special.—Davis and Co., 46 Grafton street.

## NO ELECTIONS IN JUNE.

### OFFICIALLY POSTPONED UNTIL SEPTEMBER 12th.

*The Free State Government Publicity Department issues the following:—*

The Minister for Local Government announces that the elections for County Councils, Rural Councils, and Boards of Guardians, which were to take place in June, will be postponed until 12th September.

Councillor Joseph Howarth, of Hindley, Wigan, who was for a quarter of a century a successful exhibitor at agricultural shows throughout the country, and whose two sons were champion ploughmen of Great Britain, has died at the age of 66.

## Free State Finance.

The Parliament of the Free State will resume its deliberations to-day after the Easter recess. The Senate will discuss the Damage to Property (Compensation) Bill, to which Mr. Andrew Jameson will propose an important amendment; and in the *Dail* the Minister of Finance will be asked to find an early day for the discussion of the Free State estimates. Shortly before the House rose for Easter, a White Paper was issued by the Ministry of Finance, disclosing the general estimates for the coming year. Mr. Cosgrave asked the *Dail* for an immediate vote of £14,000,000 on account, and promised that he would make his Budget statement "within a week, if not sooner, after the reassembly of the House after Easter." We hope that he will announce his intentions to-day, because the public is seriously perturbed in regard to the financial outlook and has a right to learn exactly where it stands. It has accepted the new fiscal *régime* without protest, recognising the many preoccupations of the Free State Government, and hesitating in any way to increase the formidable difficulties which Mr. Cosgrave and his colleagues must overcome; but it is waiting with anxiety to hear the Government's Budget proposals. The uncertainty of the financial situation is proving to be a heavy handicap on commercial enterprise, and business men will not make their plans for the year until they know what taxes they will be required to pay.

The total expenditure for the year has been estimated at £46,696,664, and, doubtless, before next March, "supplementaries" will increase it to little short of £50,000,000. Of this huge sum the Army and compensation for criminal injuries will account for about £21,000,000. The remainder will be absorbed by the spending departments of State. The *maximum* revenue, according to the estimates, will be in the neighbourhood of £27,000,000. We may reckon, therefore, on a deficit of at least £20,000,000 in round figures, which the Free State Government will be forced to borrow, either from the British Government or on far less favourable terms in the open market. The interest on this sum, on a basis of five *per cent.*, without amortisation charges, will amount to £1,000,000 *per annum*, which will add itself automatically to next year's, and every succeeding, Budget. It is doubtful that, on the present basis of taxation, Mr. Cosgrave will be able to realise his estimate of revenue. For that reason the public wants to know as soon as possible what, if any, new taxes the Government has decided to impose, and what arrangements it has made to reduce the costs of the spending departments. The effect of the new Customs duties is beginning already to make itself felt throughout the country, and the Free State taxpayer may be pardoned if he expresses keen concern about the future.

Mr. Stanley Baldwin will open the British Budget on next Monday, and it is possible that Mr. Cosgrave is waiting for his statement before the Free State Budget is revealed. Britain and Ireland still are bound together by economic ties which are far stronger than any Act of Union; and the prospects of lower taxes across the Channel—and, more particularly, across the frontier of Northern Ireland—must give the Free State Treasury pause. The British Chancellor has a surplus of over £100,000,000, and there is a general demand among the public for a lower income tax, together with a reduction in the tax on beer. If Mr. Baldwin should decide to comply with either of these popular demands, Mr. Cosgrave would find himself in a difficult position. A difference of sixpence or a shilling in the income tax between the Free State and Great Britain, to the disadvantage of the former, would have unpleasant results. Many residents in the Free State would transfer themselves to England or the Six Counties. The price of beer affects the great mass of the working classes, and Labour would have something to say if it were higher in Dublin than in Belfast. Again, there is the Corporations Profits Tax, which, in all probability, will be abolished by Mr. Baldwin. If it is retained by Mr. Cosgrave, firms in the Free State will be at an immediate disadvantage. His delay in the introduction of his Budget can be understood; but he would be unwise to prolong it further than absolute necessity demands.

## The Land Conference.

The Free State Government's plans for the settlement of Irish land purchase have suffered a check in the failure of its preliminary conference. The Minister of Agriculture invited representatives of the rival interests to meet representatives of the Government in an effort to reach a measure of agreement. Since the conference lived only for two days, it is obvious that the differences between the tenants' claims and those of the landlords are so wide and deep that there is no immediate prospect of adjustment. The Government's three representatives were able and experienced men, and their failure to find a bridge is ominous of coming trouble. Certainly it indicates that the problem of settlement is by no means so simple as Mr. Hogan seemed to imply in his recent statement in *Dail Eireann*. No official report of the proceedings has been issued; but it is known that the conference dealt with two essential matters—the terms of purchase, presumably on a compulsory basis, and the question of arrears. It is improbable that on a subject so large and so elastic as the finance of land purchase a complete deadlock was reached at the end of two sessions; and we may suppose, therefore, that the conference came to grief on the question of arrears. The landlords of Limerick and Clare have suggested a scheme under which the payment of arrears would be stretched over a long period as a trifling addition to the purchase annuity. If this scheme was before the conference, and if the tenants' spokesmen rejected it, and any feasible modification of it, the Government appears to be faced with a demand for the virtual confiscation of all the rents which have been withheld since the beginning of 1920. Such a demand, of course, could be conceded by no Government which had any regard for elementary justice and for the rights of property. It is possible that, after a little reflection, both sides may be willing to renew the conference, and that its second attack on the whole problem may be more successful than the first. If, however, yesterday's failure was final, the Government must not shirk its responsibilities. It must contrive, and must carry to the Statute-book, its own plan of settlement, remembering always that the Free State's credit—in a double sense—and the social and economic welfare of the new Ireland will depend largely on that plan's wisdom and equity. In the meanwhile the landlords ought to assist the Government by furnishing it with a considered statement of their corporate views through the mouth of the Irish Landowners' Convention.

## Russia's Ordeal.

If the determined effort of the anti-Christian Communists to grind the Russian people down to an outlook of purely animal materialism has not discouraged the well-meaning sentimentalists of Britain and America, a little incident reported in the Russian paper, *Russkia Viesti*, may help to enlighten them. It appears that the Odessa Government recently urged the shipyard workers at Nicolaieff to help in suppressing the troops of ferocious bandits that were plundering the local provision depôts. The workers replied coldly that there were no bandits, but only starving work-people and villagers who, driven to despair by hunger, had robbed the food depôts of the grain which ought to have been placed at their disposal, but was being gathered in the Odessa grain-elevators for sale abroad or to foster Communism in the Ruhr. The shipyard workers added that they were themselves hungry and that, unless their physical wants should receive early consideration, they might be driven to adopt the trade of brigand on their own account. We may be sure that the receipt of this intemperate message was the signal for the execution, on a large scale, of such shipyard workers as might be thought capable of carrying out the threat. The wretched Russian, however, has ceased to care whether he lives or dies. There is a Chinese proverb to the effect that, when one is being devoured by wild beasts, a point is reached quickly at which the possible intervention of third parties excites no enthusiasm. The Russian is to-day in that critical state, and the consoling reflections that are being bestowed upon him by the Western world cannot mitigate his agony.

## International History.

It is pleasant to find two such doughty champions—the one of patriotism and the other of what we may call international fraternalism—as Mr. E. B. Osborn and Mr. H. G. Wells advancing their contending views on the public platform. The fact that the debate was undertaken in the cause of charity increased its intrinsic value. Mr. Wells maintained that history is taught wrongly because it is delivered to the immature mind in what he calls sealed packets. If the only history were universal history, and the balance were observed justly in regard to the relative importance of men and events, there would be no patriotism in the narrow sense, no racial pride, no desire to be international top dog, and none of the other things that Mr. Wells finds wrong with the world of to-day. Mr. Osborn took what might be called the common-sense view. Nations always have fought and always will fight; and in the struggle some will survive and some will perish. If any particular nation is to survive, it must teach the young, through history, to appreciate survival and to honour those who have promoted ideals that will make continued survival a comparatively easy business. If we were asked to sit in judgment on the merits of these competing arguments, we should award the palm in all likelihood to Mr. Osborn—not because his insight is better than that of Mr. Wells, but because his entirely correct doctrines can be applied, while Mr. Wells's equally correct doctrines cannot be applied. Even our adult universalists, lacking Mr. Wells's plastic outlook, generally come to see nothing good in their own country and all the virtues in their country's enemies.

## PUNCHESTOWN.

### FINE WEATHER AND GOOD SPORT.

Beautiful weather, with a clear sky and plenty of sunshine, favoured the second day of the Punchestown Races. The rain of the previous night appeared to have little effect, and many people walked to distant parts of the course to witness the negotiation of some of the famous jumps.

The company present was not as numerous as on the first day, and there were a few notable absentees. The Governor-General, Mr. T. M. Healy, with several members of his staff, and Mr. Cosgrave, were again present, and took much interest in the racing.

Among those noticed in the Kildare Hunt Enclosure were the Earl of Enniskillen, the Earl of Mayo, Viscountess Powerscourt, the Hon. Doreen Wingfield, Lord Holmpatrick and the Hon. Sybil Hamilton, Lady Eva Forbes, Mr. and Lady Edna Ainsworth, the Hon. Lady McCalmont, Major and Lady Helen McCalmont, Sir Walter and Lady Nugent, Sir John Arnott, Captain C. Arnott, General Sir Bryan and Lady Mahon, Sir Timothy O'Brien, the Misses O'Brien, Sir William Goulding, Captain and Mrs. Lingard Goulding, Lady Weldon, Mr. T. Weldon, Baron de Robeck, Mr. J. de Robeck, Major and the Hon. Mrs. Barry, the Hon. Mrs. Preston, Sir George and Miss Brooke, Captain and Mrs. Brooke, General and Mrs. Waldron, Mrs. Greer, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. M'Neile, Mr. and Mrs. Morrogh Ryan, Mr. and Miss Kenny, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund O'Brien, Mr. and Miss O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. Dalgety, Mr. and Mrs. Boylan, Mr. and Mrs. E. Hope-Johnstone, Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Laidlaw, Captain Harding, Captain Boyd Rochfort, V.C., and Mrs. Boyd Rochfort; Mr. J. A. B. Trench, Mr. and Mrs. Larminie, Mrs. Beardmore Batten, Mr. A. Willis, Mr. A. Whiteside Dane, Mr. and Mrs. E. Kennedy, Major and Miss Desse, Mr. and Mrs. Knox, Mr. and Miss Leonard, Mr. H. M. Hartigan, Miss Webster, Mrs. and Miss Bald, Mr. J. J. Maher, Colonel and Mrs. Honner, Mr. L. F. Ball, Mr. R. J. Ball, Mr. Maxwell Arnott, Major C. Mitchell, Mr. T. Levins Moore, M.S.H., Mr. G. Odlum, Mr. J. Daly, Dr. and Mrs. O'Reilly, Surgeon McArdle, Captain Honner, Mr. T. P. Tyrrell, Mr. W. Uprichard, Mr. and Mrs. Butler, Mrs. and Miss O'Connor, Mrs. Henry, Mr. W. P. Hanly, Mr. and Mrs. M'Cann, the Misses West, Mr. and Miss Evans, Mrs. Connell, Colonel, Mrs. and Miss Grehame; Mr. Cox, Mr. J. Kelly, Mr. Blake, Mr. Cummins, and many others.

### AMERICAN AMBASSADOR.

Mr. Harvey, the American Ambassador in London, will shortly visit the United States on leave.

## A GREAT STAGE ARTIST.

### Leon Bakst's Designs.

(BY LENNOX ROBINSON.)

It was June, it was 1913—before the war; it was Drury lane, with G.B.S. in a box shocked by the nudity of "*Joseph*," and George Moore in an opposite box, and a great deal of bare flesh and diamonds with him, the premieres of *Joseph*, with its composer, Richard Strauss, conducting, and *Carneval*, with Karsavina and Nijinsky in it, and *Le Sacre du Printemps*, with the gallery half hissing and cat-calling, half tumultuously applauding, and *Petrouchka* with Fokine, and *Daphnis and Chloe*—most beautiful of all ballets, and *Prince Igor* with Chaliapine, and *Der Rosenkavalier*—I suppose all this can't have happened together, but, looking back, they all—operas and ballets—seem blended into one intoxicating hot night in London.

The nights are cooler and greyer now. Nijinsky has danced himself to dust, leaped his last leap, and landed in infinity; Stravinsky is a back number, and Sir Thomas Beecham a bankrupt. Talking of these old pre-war days is like an old man babbling of his youth, and I must be silent, remembering an old cousin whom I patiently listened to when I was a boy while he endlessly recalled the glories of the Italian opera in Cork in the 'seventies and 'eighties.

But, turning the pages of this beautiful book, fingering old programmes, brings it all back irresistibly. Can anything ever again be as good, as entirely satisfying? The poignant beauty of *Les Sylphides*, Nijinsky as "Harlequin," dancing with Karsavina against a Ricketts blue curtain?

Perhaps so, for here is Leon Bakst, no longer ago than 1921, designing the dresses for the ballet of *The Sleeping Princess*, which I have heard described as the most beautiful thing ever presented by the Russian ballet. I saw only one scene of it which was revived a year later in Paris. It seemed to me enchanting, and the dresses entirely beautiful, and here in this gorgeous book are fifty-five examples of them in colour. They are marvels of imagination, and yet never outré and extravagant. There is a tang of reality about every one of them; of their own fantastic world they are, to the highest degree, realistic. They are, the most of them, complicated and intricate; there is an absence of the easy theory that broad effects carry best on the stage, on the contrary, Leon Bakst pays the most minute attention to detail; the dresses are built up architecturally—Gothic rather than Romanesque, one might say—it is interesting to note, for instance, how the great cuffs balance the trousers or the heavy skirt, and how the head-dress complements the idea of the boots. Bakst sees costume wonderfully as a whole; everything in it matters to him down to the bow on the shoe, the buckle on the belt; nothing is left to chance, nothing will "do" everything has got to be done creatively by sheer mental effort of his genius. For unquestionably he is a genius, a great artist of the stage, a subtle and supreme colourist. One remembers his cold tones in "Daphnis and Chloe," which seemed the essence of that early morning story, and the hot, barbaric red of his Prince Igor—the decadence of Cleopatre. Something of all these things this book brings back to the memory, but so wanting warm flesh beneath these lovely clothes, so wanting rhythm, and music and light.

Apart from its beauty, this ballet is of high historic interest. Before it the music for the ballets had been, in most cases, trivial and uninteresting, but in the early nineties Tchaikovsky set himself deliberately and patiently to write music for this medium, putting himself humbly at the service of the ballet-master. The result was an astonishing success, and with it he lifted the ballet to the notice of serious composers. Since then it has attracted to its service the aristocrats of the arts of decoration and music, and among Tchaikovsky's successors are Richard Strauss and Stravinsky.

There may be an art that thrives on poverty, that gains inspiration from bread and tea eaten in a second-floor back, but it is not the art of the stage; it is assuredly not the art of the ballet. That art, as is history shows—and the preface to this book is of uncommon interest—needs an assured income, wine and meat, a long training, technical to the last degree a short life on the stage, a long, pensioned old age. And so we are never very likely to see it in Ireland. Ireland has dancing in its blood, but, until it is willing to pay for these things, in its blood it must remain. And its only outlet must be the *ceilidhe* and *The Dansant*. We can only call the tune by paying the piper, and we have got soon seriously to consider whether there are enough people in this country to call with any effect for a tune in any of the arts. Our aristocracy never cared greatly—or if they did had their box in Covent Garden rather than their stall in the Abbey Theatre, and it is difficult to recall more than one or two men grown rich from trade whose imaginations have risen above the ideals of Horseback Hall, the churches are unwillingly and with difficulty being weaned from Munich glass and pitch-pine, and the middle-class seems entirely satisfied with the cinema and the music hall. It seems hardly worth while to complain; it is better probably to save one's breath and one's shillings and buy Leon Bakst's book and a ticket for London or Paris next time the Russian ballet is billed to appear there.

The Designs of Leon Bakst for "The Sleeping Princess," to be published in a few days after Persecli. Music by Tchaikovsky. London: Benn Brothers. 25 6/- net.

## NEW LONDON PLAY.

### "ANNA CHRISTIE" AT THE STRAND THEATRE.

FROM OUR DRAMATIC CRITIC.

*LONDON, Wednesday.*

Short, one-act plays of Mr. Eugene O'Neill have been seen on the London stage recently, but the first full three-act play by this American author was presented last night.

"Anna Christie" is rightly considered Mr. O'Neill's finest play. It is a remarkable piece of work, and was wonderfully acted. The whole atmosphere reeks of the sea. It tells the story of an old seaman's daughter, who, during his absence abroad, has been forced into becoming a girl of no character. After many years and a long illness,

# LIAM LYNCH'S LAST REQUEST.

## FUNERAL AT FERMOY TO-DAY.

## FULL STORY OF ATTACK IN MOUNTAINS.

## SUPPOSED PEACE MEETING.

The full story of how Mr. Liam Lynch met his death reached Dublin last night, in a message from our Special Correspondent at Clonmel, which is printed below.

According to one report, he intended to be present at a meeting in Tipperary, at which Mr. de Valera, Mr. Austin Stack, and other leaders were to discuss the consideration of the peace proposals put forward by the Archbishop of Cashel.

At an inquest held in Clonmel yesterday the jury found that Liam Lynch had been shot by National soldiers in the execution of their duty.

Mr. Lynch's remains were handed over to his brother last evening for burial at Fermoy to-day, beside a man named Fitzgerald—this being in accordance with his last request to General Prout.

General Prout, who was in charge of the military operation, served in the American Expeditionary Force in France, and retired with the rank of captain.

### LIAM LYNCH FOUND SERIOUSLY WOUNDED.

FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

*CLONMEL, Wednesday.*

From the particulars now to hand of the mountain fight in which Liam Lynch was captured, it is clear that the troops surprised an important conference of the Republican leaders.

The National forces are scouring the surrounding country for the five or six other leaders who had been taking part in the deliberations.

From General Prout I learnt to-day the full story of the military operations which led to the capture of Liam Lynch.

Crohan West, where the five or six leaders had met, was suited in every way for such a conference. The slopes of the mountain are thickly covered with gorse, and rocky ravines and belts of trees make the ascent a tiresome one for troops. The Republican leaders had gathered on the highest slope of the mountain—a height of 1,600 feet.

As early as Sunday it was known that several important leaders had made their appearance in the district. Starting on Sunday night, General Prout himself visited some of the principal National posts in the outlying country. Plans were made for an elaborate sweep of the entire district between County Waterford on one side and Clonmel and Cahir on the other.

By Monday night arrangements had been made for the co-operation of all posts in a systematic search of a huge area, in the south part of which the Republican leaders were known to be located.

THE UNEXPECTED.

Swiftly and unexpectedly the troops embarked on the operation. At an early hour on Monday morning parties of military left Cahir, Clogheen, Fethard, Cappoquin, Dungarvan, Kilmacthomas, Rathgormack, and Clonmel to push their way inwards on the territory which divided them.

To the Clogheen troops fell the lot of sweeping Crohan West on their journey.

The mountain was between Newcastle and Mount Melleray, forming part of the Knockmealdown range. It was ten o'clock on Tuesday morning when the Clogheen column began the ascent of the northern slopes of the mountain. The men marched in extended formation, taking full advantage of the cover offered by the gorse and crags.

The morning was dull, with heavy clouds overhead, as the column of forty soldiers proceeded up the slope, but within half an hour of beginning the climb their advance became known to the little party gathered near the top of the mountain. The silence of the morning was broken suddenly by an outburst of Thompson-gun fire, which ceased almost immediately afterwards, to be followed by rifle and revolver fire.

The soldiers had by this time approached within easy range of their quarry. The exchange of fire, which followed, was of brief duration. The soldiers pushed forward under fire, and within a short time gained the upper slope.

LIAM LYNCH WOUNDED.

Lying face upwards in a thick growth of mountain shrubbery, they found a young man, who seemed dangerously wounded. His clothes were thickly stained with blood, and he was bleeding from the lower portion of the body. He was recognised by members of the military party as Mr. Lynch. He was still quite conscious, but spoke little. He was carried down the mountain by the soldiers.

Shortly afterwards General Prout arrived, and had the wounded man taken to Newcastle. The General then went back to Clonmel, and returned with the ambulance and a doctor. It was with some difficulty that the dying man was transferred across the broken bridge at Newcastle to the waiting ambulance, after having been first attended to by a doctor.

From the first it was apparent that there was but little chance of his recovery, and though everything possible was done for him in the local hospital, he died last night.

LAST REQUEST GRANTED.

Before he died, Mr. Liam Lynch called General Prout to his bedside, and expressed a desire that he should be buried beside a man named Fitzgerald at Fermoy.

His last request is to be granted. This evening the remains were given over by General Prout to Mr. Lynch's brother; to-morrow (Thursday) they will be buried at Fermoy.

I had an interview with one of the party of soldiers who captured the Republican Chief of Staff, and elicited some further details regarding the engagement. Mr. Lynch, while badly wounded, was able to speak when addressed by his captors. No arms were found on him, but some distance from where he lay some overcoats and hats were discovered. They evidently had been discarded hurriedly by some of his colleagues before they took to flight.

It is rumoured that articles of clothing have been recognised as belonging to Mr. de Valera's wardrobe. On the other hand, it is said that a hat which has been found is believed to have been worn once by Dan Breen.

A National Army officer, who was acquainted with both Republican leaders, assures me that he can vouch for the accuracy of the statements.

The affair has caused considerable excitement in Clonmel.

### THE INQUEST.

LIAM LYNCH'S LAST REQUEST.

Our Clonmel Correspondent telegraphs that yesterday afternoon Dr. Stokes, Deputy-Coroner, held an inquest on the remains of Mr. Liam Lynch, at Clonmel Union Boardroom.

The body, which lay coffined in the mortuary, was viewed by the jury.

The proceedings were brief and formal.

General Prout represented the authorities, and Inspector Kilroy the Civic Guard.

A military witness identified the body, and said that Liam Lynch was aged about 35 or 36 years, unmarried, and a native of Anglesborough, County Limerick. The witness continued—I believe he was Chief of Staff of the Irregulars. I knew him to be always actively engaged in operations against the Government forces.

The Coroner—If it is the wish of the jury, General Prout will call witnesses who were present at the time that the deceased was wounded.

The Foreman—I think that would be the proper course.

A military witness deposed—I was in charge of a column operating in Crohane Mountain, south-west of Clogheen, at about 10 a.m. yesterday (Tuesday). Fire was opened on us by a number of Irregulars. We returned the fire, and the deceased was wounded.

How long did the firing last?

Witness—About twenty minutes or half-an-hour. The column advanced under fire, and the Irregulars retreated, and we found the deceased lying on the mountain. He was lying on his back, face upwards, and appeared to be badly wounded. One of my party bandaged up his wounds, and I sent for a priest and a doctor. We took him down from the mountain to Newcastle, where he was attended to by a priest and Dr. Power, Ardfinane, who said that the dressing had been very well done. Dr. Dalton soon arrived with a Red Cross ambulance. In conversation with me, the deceased asked that he should be buried in Fermoy, along with Fitzgerald, and he told me he was Liam Lynch.

General Prout said that the military authorities would see to that.

Mr. Stapleton—Had the wounded man arms on him? No.

Dr. Redmond Dalton, Military Medical Officer, stated that he went out on Tuesday with an ambulance to Newcastle. In a house there he found the wounded man, Liam Lynch. There were two bullet wounds in the body—one entrance wound being somewhat behind and to the right between the lower border of the ribs and the hip. The exit wound was at about the same level on the left side. There was a fair amount of external and a considerable amount of internal hemorrhage, and he was suffering very severely from shock. After consultation with the doctor who was attending the patient, they decided that it was best that he should be removed to Clonmel. They brought him back in an ambulance to Clonmel, arriving at about 6 o'clock at the military ward of St. Joseph's Hospital. The patient was very low all the time, and died shortly before 9 o'clock. Death, in his opinion, was due to shock and hemorrhage, following the wounds described.

The Coroner asked the jury whether they required any further evidence. He said that the body had been identified as that of Liam Lynch, who, according to the evidence before them, was one of a party of irregulars who opened fire on the troops, and was fatally wounded in the return fire.

The jury considered the evidence before them sufficient, and after a brief consultation, found that death was due to shock and hemorrhage, following bullet wounds caused by a party of the National Army in the execution of their duty. They wished to add a vote of sympathy with the relatives of Liam Lynch.

The Coroner joined in the expression of sympathy.

A juror, Mr. Smith, said that the jury would like to know if the last wish of Liam Lynch, that he should be buried in Fermoy, would be carried out.

The Coroner said that General Prout had given an assurance as to that already.

### WAS THERE A PEACE MEETING?

A CAPTURED COAT AND HAT.

Another Special Correspondent, writing from Clonmel, says:—The general opinion is that the death of Liam Lynch will have a profound effect on the whole anti-Government campaign throughout the Free State area.

Certain leaders of the Republicans are known to have taken part in recent efforts to make peace, but of such efforts Liam Lynch strongly disapproved. In the captured correspondence (published some days ago) it was intimated that a meeting of leaders would be held to take an important decision, and there is little doubt that it was in connection with this meeting that Mr. Lynch was in the district where he met his death.

It is generally believed, though there is no official confirmation, that Mr. de Valera, Mr. Dan Breen, and other leaders were also there. The meeting was to have included all heads of the "Army," as well as Mr. de Valera and Mr. Austin Stack, representing the "Government."

YOU HAVEN'T GOT "DEV."

As to Mr. de Valera, it is stated that Mr. Lynch, when captured by the soldiers, observed—"Well, you haven't got 'Dev.' anyhow," by which he is understood to have meant that Mr. de Valera had made good his escape.

The evidence as regards the presence of Dan Breen, if negative, is not quite unamusing. It appears that in the farm-house where the leaders were surprised were found a coat which was recognised as one usually worn by Breen. There was also a hat, so large, that only Dan Breen's head could have filled it.

THE HARTY PROPOSALS.

It is rumoured here that if the meeting, which was to have considered Archbishop Harty's peace scheme, had taken place it would have approved the scheme.

General Prout, who was in charge of the operations, is of American birth. He has been engaged in the Kilkenny-Waterford area since the Four Courts fight, and led the troops from Waterford to Clonmel and Cahir last summer. He was in the "Rainbow" Division of the American Army, one of the first American Divisions to land in France, and was attached to the 165th Regiment of New York. When the Great War ended, he was a captain, and for a time had commanded a battalion.

### WEATHER IN FRANCE.

WARM IN PARIS; SNOW AND LIGHTNING IN PROVINCES.

*PARIS, Wednesday.*

While Paris is still enjoying moderately warm and sunny weather, reports of snow and storms come from the provinces.

A heavy fall of snow has fallen on the Chicula Plateau, in Upper Ariège, interrupting communication, and postmen have been obliged to return with their letters undelivered. Two villages were completely snowbound for three days.

Snow is also reported from Lille, as are storms from L'Orient.

At Charolles four oxen yoked to a plough were killed by lightning, and a farmer and his son, who were guiding the plough, received violent shocks. In the Department of Mayenne a farm hand was killed by lightning.—(Reuter.)

### LAND CONFERENCE FAILS

AFTER ABOUT TWO HOURS' DISCUSSION.

NO PROSPECT OF AGREEMENT.

The conference of representatives of the Free State Government, landlords, and unpurchased tenants, which was called by the Minister for Agriculture to discuss and report on (1) arrears of rent, and (2) purchase price, in connection with the Land Bill which it is the intention of the Minister to introduce into the Dail, held its second meeting yesterday at the offices of the Land Commission, 24 Upper Merrion street, Dublin. After discussing the matters at issue for a couple of hours, the members of the conference failed to reach an agreement. No official statement has been issued, but it is understood that there will be no further meetings.

At the opening of the conference on Tuesday a good deal of time was occupied in the arrangement of preliminaries, but at yesterday's sitting the parties concerned settled down to business.

It is understood that the representatives appointed by the tenants and the landlords attended yesterday's conference with the demands of their respective parties embodied in concrete programmes.

During the past two years many of the tenants have refused to pay rents with, it is believed, the object of forcing legislation on the subject of land purchase. Whether the disagreement arose from a demand that these arrears should be cleared up before further progress could be made towards completing land purchase has not transpired. Whatever the cause of the breakdown, there seems to have been no possibility of an agreement being reached.

All the members were present at yesterday's conference, together with the Minister of Agriculture (Mr. P. J. Hogan).

The landlords' representatives were:—Lord Cloncurry, Right Hon. George F. Stewart, and Mr. Henry Franks, M.A., Woodbrook, Mountrath. The tenants' representatives were:—Mr. Denis J. Gorey (Kilkenny), Mr. P. F. Baxter (Cavan), and Mr. W. Nunan (Glanworth, Co. Cork). The Government representatives were:—Mr. Gerald FitzGibbon, K.C.; Mr. Michael J. O'Connor, solicitor, Wexford; and Mr. John Collins (formerly a farmer in West Cork).

The Secretary was Mr. Francis J. Duff.

### RUSSIAN PIRACY.

SEIZURE OF A BRITISH TRAWLER.

In the House of Commons yesterday, Mr. Ronald McNeill, in reply to Viscount Curzon, said that no report had yet been received from Moscow in regard to the arrested British fishermen at Murmansk. According to a telegram in the matter to the owners the men were being well treated.

Viscount Curzon—How long is the Government going to tolerate this state of affairs? Is it aware that, according to our maritime law, the Soviet Government has committed an act of piracy on the high seas towards British workingmen?

Mr. McNeill said that his noble friend would appreciate that it was impossible for the Government to take drastic action without knowing exactly and officially what had happened.

### NEW PORT AT VENICE.

COMPLETION OF MILLION POUND SCHEME.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

*ROME, Wednesday.*

The Italian Government has just completed the building of a modern port for Venice at a cost of a million sterling.

The entrance canal to the new port is three miles long, and will accommodate large steamers. The harbour works extend over an area of two and one half square miles, with seven miles of wharves, equipped with the most modern machinery for loading and unloading vessels.

Fronting the main port are two industrial zones, each covering an area of two square miles.

The new port also has ample rail facilities, and a garden city for 50,000 persons. This port, to be known as Porto Marghera, will be the outlet of a great system of inland navigation, now in course of construction, which will connect Milan and other important industrial centres of Lombardy and Venetia with the sea.

The plans for the new port were drawn up and signed in 1917, in spite of the war, and a huge State deficit. The work was started in the spring of 1919.

### BLACK OUTLOOK.

CRISIS IN NEW SOUTH WALES COALFIELDS DISPUTE.

*SYDNEY, Wednesday.*

It is reported that the outlook in the Newcastle coalfields is very black.

Seventeen collieries, employing 5,620 men, are now idle, and it is believed that the proprietors are agreed that there is no use in resuming operations without a guarantee of continuous work from the men.—(Reuter.)

### PRINCESS HERMINE.

REPORTED EXPULSION FROM GERMANY.

*PARIS, Wednesday.*

The Berlin Correspondent of the *Journal* telegraphs that, by reason of the application of the law regarding the defence of the Republic, the Minister of the Interior has ordered the wife of the ex-Kaiser to leave German territory.—(Reuter.)

### MONT BLANC TUNNEL.

RUMOURED REVIVAL OF GIGANTIC SCHEME.

An Exchange Geneva telegram states that the proposal to tunnel Mont Blanc appears to have been revived, the paper *Savoie* saying that it may be regarded as definitely decided upon.

The plan, which would directly unite France and Italy, would involve the construction of fifteen tunnels and fourteen bridges. Work on the scheme, it is calculated, would take five years to complete.

### OLYMPIC GAMES.

POPE'S SYMPATHY WITH WORLD MOVEMENT.

*ROME, Wednesday.*

The Pope has received in audience the International Olympic Committee, which is meeting here to make arrangements for the development of Olympic Games throughout the world.

His Holiness congratulated the Committee on its endeavours in favour of classic sports, which, he said, would contribute to bring the different countries of the world closer together. Civilisation could only gain from clean and moral sports.—(Reuter.)

A Washington telegram says:—The American Debt Funding Commission has been summoned to meet on Monday in order to study further the British debt settlement plan, which is now approaching completion.

Reuter's Simla Correspondent telegraphed yesterday:—Lord Reading has shot four tigers in the Gwalior jungles. He is returning to Simla on Friday.

The Finnish Parliament has passed a bill for funding Finland's debt of nine million dollars to America.

Sir Charles and Lady Harington have arrived at Cannes from London on a fortnight's visit.

Mr. McWhae, Agent-General for Victoria, has handed a further donation of £500 to the Save the Children Fund, on behalf of the Lord Mayor of Melbourne's Fund, making the total amount contributed to the fund from Victoria £23,200.

### NEW REPARATION RUMOURS.

GERMANY EXPECTED TO MAKE AN OFFER.

TIRED OF PASSIVE ATTITUDE.

BRITISH INSPIRATION SUGGESTED.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

*BERLIN, Wednesday.*

Germany will make a definite and concrete offer to France within the next few days, I am informed in the highest quarters. The Reichstag will listen to the long-delayed speech of the Foreign Minister, Herr von Rosenberg, which will be based on the so-called Loucheur plan, and will comprise what amounts to a new set of German proposals.

The German Party leaders' information and the news of London opinion has made a deep impression on the Cuno Cabinet. It is now realised that Germany must take the initiative, instead of maintaining a passive attitude, if she wishes to gain the sympathy of the world. The Rosenberg offer will be the first definite German proposition since the Bergmann proposals in January, which were not heard by the Paris Conference.

Highest authorities in Berlin state that the new proposals will go much further than those that Herr Bergmann took to Paris in January. It is believed here that Britain has agreed to advance long-term credits for the purchase of raw materials to the amount of the reparations due to Britain, leaving the cash available from the internal loan entirely at the disposal of France, Belgium, and the smaller Powers.

The German offer will not exceed thirty billion gold marks, but it will conform very closely to that sum on an actual cash basis of direct payments. This will, it is believed, insure France the twenty-six billion she demands, or most of it.

Industrialists will back the proposition by offering their property as security for a loan.

British pressure is greatly responsible for the approaching declaration, it is asserted. Great Britain fears a French political hegemony on the Continent, and will support any reasonable German offer to the best of her ability, so Berlin believes.

### FRIENDLY NEUTRALITY.

BRITISH POLICY UNCHANGED.

In the House of Commons yesterday, Mr. Becker asked the Prime Minister if, as a consequence of the conversations with M. Loucheur, the Government contemplate abandoning the policy of friendly neutrality towards France, and giving her absolute support in her action against Germany on the Ruhr?

Mr. Baldwin—The answer is in the negative.

### FRANCE'S INTENTIONS.

M. POINCARE TO MAKE A STATEMENT.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

*PARIS, Wednesday.*

M. Poincaré is to preside on Sunday at Dunkirk at the unveiling of a memorial to the men of the town who fell in the war, and it is generally expected that he will deliver an important speech dealing with the occupation of the Ruhr and setting forth once more the intentions of his Government.

M. Loucheur is expected to be present in his capacity as Deputy for the Nord, and it is stated variously in the Press that the French Premier will, and will not, extend his statement to deal with the various interpretations of the ex-Minister's recent mission in London.

It is safe to say that that will depend in some measure upon the course of the interviews which M. Poincaré will have here next Saturday with Herr Bergmann, but it will conform very closely to that of the talks with MM. Theunis and M. Jaspar, the Belgian Premier and Minister of Foreign Affairs. At these interviews it is possible, but not at all certain, that M. Loucheur will be invited to be present, in order that the Belgian Ministers may have the fullest information before them on the subject of his conversations in London.

My information is that from whatever quarter the new recovery plan indicated by M. Loucheur's journey may come, it is not likely to be from Brussels, and I believe that the alarm stated to have been caused there by the reports of his interviews had little foundation in fact.

M. Theunis and M. Jaspar have throughout both desired as early a return as possible of Great Britain to the Councils of her Allies, and there is evidence, despite statements to the contrary, that they were informed in good time of the new *demarche*.

In quarters, both in Brussels and in Paris, where a hopeful view was taken of its development, it was anticipated that M. Loucheur might make a second journey to London, but present signs do not encourage this. Meanwhile, M. Poincaré continues to be the object of attacks by his political opponents, M. Tardieu this morning strongly criticising him for his association with M. Loucheur.

### MORE SABOTAGE.

TOWN FINED AND "CURFEW" IMPOSED.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

*COLOGNE, Wednesday.*

A serious attempt to destroy French railway communications is reported to-day from Buer. At 5.30 this morning an explosion badly damaged a bridge on the line between Buer and Hassel, a section used by French military trains. Precise details of the damage are not yet known, but the French have closed the line, which is strongly guarded.

In the course of the day the magistrate of Buer was informed that the town would be fined fifty million marks, and that "curfew" regulations would be imposed from to-night, all traffic being stopped between 8 p.m. and 6 a.m.

A fine of seventy-five million marks, payable at once, has been imposed on the town of Duisburg, as a reprisal for acts of sabotage.

The gas supply of the town of Kasstropp has been cut off. The French authorities have, therefore, warned the Mayor that if the lighting is not restored immediately, the inhabitants will be ordered to remain indoors between the hours of 8 p.m. and 5 a.m.

A message from a French source in Dusseldorf says that a French sentry, guarding the bridge at a point where the Essen to Karnap road crosses the Rhine-Heine Canal, was attacked by men accompanied by dogs. A patrol pursued the assailants and arrested one of them.

### LENIN'S CONDITION.

SLIGHT IMPROVEMENT.

*HELSINGFORS, Wednesday.*

Yesterday's bulletin regarding Lenin's condition shows that his temperature was 98.4, pulse 100, and respiration 24. A slight improvement in his general health having become noticeable, bulletins will henceforth be issued only when required.—(Reuter.)

### IRISH CATTLE-BREEDING.

A special article on Irish Cattle-Breeding, by Mr. James Cameron, the well-known Scottish judge of live stock, appears on Page 9.

### PRIEST'S TRIAL POSTPONED.

SOVIET LEADERS QUARRELLING.

RESULT OF FOREIGN PROTESTS.

*RIGA, Wednesday.*

Notwithstanding the elaborate preparations of the Soviet Government for the trial of the Patriarch Tikhon, which was to open to-day, it was announced this morning that the trial had been postponed.

Inquiries in Communist circles elicited the information that the decision to put off the trial followed on heated discussions among the Soviet leaders. So-called Moderates, alarmed by the storm which the recent persecution of the Churches raised in foreign countries, demanded the cancellation of the trial, but the Extremists stubbornly insisted that it should be proceeded with, arguing the impossibility of surrender to the demands of the capitalist Powers.

Eventually, failing an agreement, the trial was postponed indefinitely. Discussions are still going on.

The indictment charges the Patriarch with maintaining relations with foreign States, with refusing to surrender Church treasures to the Soviet authorities, and with condemning the Soviet *régime*, whose leaders, it is declared, were denounced by the Patriarch as bandits and robbers.

The indictment adds that the Patriarch has admitted his guilt.

The tribunal, it was arranged, should be Galkin, as President, and Krylenko, as prosecutor, as in the case of the trial of the Archbishop Cieplak.

According to the Soviet Press, the so-called All-Russian Ecclesiastical Convention intends to submit the Patriarch to an ecclesiastical trial on Sunday.—(Reuter.)

### SIX MORE EXECUTIONS.

OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT.

The National Army Headquarters issued the following official report last night:—

"James O'Malley, Oughterard, Co. Galway, was charged before a military tribunal with having a rifle and ammunition in his possession, without proper authority, at Knockiahard, Co. Galway, on 21st February, 1923.

"Francis Cunnane, Kilcoona, Headford, Co. Galway, was charged before a military tribunal with having possession of a rifle and ammunition at Cluide, on 21st February, 1923, without proper authority.

"Michael Monaghan, Clounecen, Headford, was charged before a military tribunal with having possession of a rifle and ammunition at Cluide, on 21st February, 1923, without proper authority.

"John Newell, Winefoith, Headford, Co. Galway, was charged before a military tribunal with having possession of a rifle and ammunition, at Cluide, on 21st February, 1923, without proper authority.

"Martin Moylan, Farmerstown, Annaghdown, Co. Galway, was charged before a military tribunal with having possession of a rifle and ammunition, at Cluide, on 21st February, 1923, without proper authority.

"All six prisoners were found guilty. "The findings were confirmed in each case, and the prisoners were sentenced to death. "The executions were duly carried out at 7 a.m. to-day at 8 a.m."

The six men executed yesterday make a total of 75 executed by the Irish Free State authorities within the past few months.

### LATE EX-KAISERIN.

MEMORIAL SERVICE IN BERLIN.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

*BERLIN, Wednesday.*

"Junker" Germany mourned to-day in befitting fashion the former Kaiserin, the second anniversary of whose death it is. Scores of Princes and Princesses, former Court officials, Generals and Admirals attended a Memorial Service at Potsdam, and the sermon was preached by Dr. Vogel, the former Imperial Chaplain, who officiated at the Kaiser's second marriage at Doorn last November. Among hundreds of wreaths was one of yellow roses from the ex-Kaiser and his wife, Princess Hermine.

### LUXOR TREASURES.

£32,000 SCHEME FOR MUSEUM EXTENSION.

*CAIRO, Wednesday.*

The question of the accommodation of the objects found in Tutankhamen's tomb has been receiving the most serious consideration from the Egyptian authorities. Estimates for the construction of an annexe to the existing museum have been prepared; plans are being drawn up, and as soon as the sanction of the financial authorities is obtained, work will be started. I understand that the cost will be approximately £32,000.

The scientific authorities urge that the lighting should follow the latest improvements in western museums, and thus avoid the serious lighting defects of the existing Cairo Museum.

In view of the value of the Tutankhamen objects, and the possibility that unavoidable damp in a new building might damage them, it is suggested that various objects, which are not likely to be damaged by damp, or are not so valuable, should be removed from the main building and placed in the new annexe, and thus enable part of the main building to be reserved for the exhibition of Tutankhamen objects as one collection.

In that event, however, lighting improvements would have to be made in the main building.—*The Times* World Copyright.

### MR. HOWARD CARTER ILL.

LADY CARNARVON'S DEPARTURE DELAYED.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

*CAIRO, Wednesday.*

Mr. Howard Carter was taken ill to-day, and the Countess of Carnarvon has postponed her journey home until Monday. Her departure then will be contingent upon an improvement in Mr. Carter's condition.

Lady Carnarvon had proposed to accompany the remains of the late Lord Carnarvon to England. The embalmed body was to-day despatched from Cairo to Alexandria, where it will be placed on the steamer Hesperus for conveyance across the Mediterranean *en route* for London.

### MONSIGNOR LUZIO'S VISIT.

NO INTERVIEW WITH MR. COSGRAVE.

It was stated in some of the Dublin newspapers yesterday, on the authority of a news agency, that Monsignor Luzio, the Papal delegate, was to have an interview with Mr. Cosgrave yesterday on the subject of peace in Ireland. We are in a position to state definitely that no such interview took place.

### SINN FEIN DEPUTATION TO MONSIGNOR LUZIO.

A deputation from the Dublin Sinn Fein Peace Committee was received by Monsignor Luzio, Papal delegate, at the Shelbourne Hotel, Dublin, on Tuesday afternoon. The deputation formally requested Monsignor Luzio's intervention in the interests of peace.

### TO-DAY'S LONDON PAPERS.

GOVERNMENT DEFEAT.

TO-DAY'S BUSINESS.

"THE TIMES" OF TO-DAY SAYS:—

It is more than ten years ago since the Government of the day has been faced with a problem such as that which the Unionist Party had to tackle yesterday; and the dramatic events of November, 1912, when, on an amendment to the financial resolution on which the finance of the Home Rule Bill was based, Mr. Asquith's Ministry found itself in a minority of 22, were freely quoted during yesterday's uproarious sitting. After questions to-day, the first business will be to move the Speaker out of the chair on the Civil Service Estimates, and it is believed that as a result of conferences, which took place among various sections after the House rose last night, the Government may be in a position to intimate its willingness to set up an *ad hoc* Committee to report at once on the one question of the grievances of the ex-Service entrants, and to allow such entrants themselves to give evidence before the Committee.

This will probably satisfy the Labour Party, and it is a matter of regret, if this course is to be adopted, that some such concession could not have been announced by the Government on Tuesday evening.

SLAVE RAIDING.

TRESPASS ON BRITISH TERRITORY.

*The Times* comments editorially upon slave-raiding in Abyssinia, a practice for which, it remarks, there can be no condonation in this country. The favourite hunting ground for Abyssinian dealers in men and women is the area which adjoins the Sudan in the North and West and extends to Lake Rudolf, Uganda and Kenya Colony in the South. This once populous and semi-cultivated region is now derelict. Its negroid inhabitants have been massacred or carried off by bands of more virile hillmen, who descend from the central plateau of Abyssinia.

These marauders, who are declared often to be regular troops whose arms bear the Government stamp, have repeatedly passed beyond the frontiers of the country they have ravaged and trespassed on British territory. The whole matter is precisely one which should be brought before the League of Nations, and there does not seem to be any adequate reason why the Council should not consider it this month without waiting for the meeting of the Assembly in September. Meanwhile, it is desirable that the relevant papers and reports now in the possession of the Foreign Office should be placed at the disposal of the League without delay.

The duty of making it constantly clear to the ruler of Abyssinia that slave raids into British territory will not be tolerated is one we should imagine of which no British Government needs to be reminded.

### THE STOCK EXCHANGE.

DULL MARKETS.

For the most part the Stock Markets yesterday were dull in tone (states *The Times*). There was nowhere acute pressure to sell, but the approach of the Account and the closing of some speculative commitments, and uncertainty with regard to next Monday's Budget acted as a deterrent upon the opening of new engagements. So far as strictly investment securities are concerned, the rise in prices made some further headway. India Stocks were again prominent. Domestic buying of British Securities of the first class continues to be supplemented by orders from abroad, including the United States and several Continental countries. It is this widespread demand for our trustee securities, maintained as it has been for many months past, that accounts for the unintermitted manner in which values have risen. There were one or two strong features yesterday in the Miscellaneous market, notably Imperial Tobacco and British Cellulose. The former were again under the influence of bonus talk.

AN IRISH CHAPTER.

The *Daily News* observes:—The death of Liam Lynch gives point to the recent declarations of the Free State Government that the rebellion in Ireland is on the verge of complete collapse. We have little doubt that in the hour of victory President Cosgrave and his colleagues will avoid the mistake of revengeful action. If justice is tempered with mercy there is no reason why the events of recent months should leave any lasting bitterness behind, and the Irish possess such an amazing power of recovery that it will be easy for them to transform both the political and economic situation within a very short space of time. The one grave problem that now looms ahead is that of the relations of Ulster and the South, which involves the whole ultimate destiny of Ireland as a whole. To find a peaceful solution will tax all the resources of the wisest Statesmanship on both sides.

DEFEAT AND THE WAY OUT.

The *Westminster Gazette* says:—The ingenuity of the Speaker in discovering that the word "now" means the particular day on which a motion is put from the Chair has reduced the Government defeat to its proper proportions. It becomes an incident rather than a disaster. In regarding the defeat itself as of small importance we may also dismiss the scene which led to the temporary rising of the House last night. It was natural that members should make the most of the plight of the Government. Let us add that there is a genuine feeling that the ex-Service men who have been taken into Government employment have been treated neither generously nor wisely, and Mr. Bonar Law will do well to find a more sympathetic exponent of his policy in regard to these than Major Boyd Carpenter. Unless, however, the Ministry has learned the right lesson from the incident there will be repetitions, which nobody can treat as other than important.

DRAWING TO AN END.

The *Daily Express* says:—With a thoroughness the more admirable for its restraint, the warfare of the Free State Government draws to its appointed end. It remains, therefore, to prepare with confidence our congratulations for the broadminded and determined efficiency which has brought about this result with a speed that has astonished the well-wishers of the Free State almost as much as it has disconcerted its opponents. President Cosgrave and his Ministers have evinced real statesmanship in circumstances which might well have been the undoing of expert politicians. They will not fail now in the task which Ireland herself so bitterly requires to be well done.

### SERVICES TO SCIENCE.

AMERICAN PHILOSOPHICAL SOCIETY'S AWARDS.

*PHILADELPHIA, Wednesday.*

The American Philosophical Society has awarded to Sir Joseph John Thompson, the discoverer of the electron, the John Scott Medal and a purse of 1,000 dollars, and also the Franklin Medal, which is the highest award in the disposal of the Franklin Institute.

The John Scott Medal and a money prize were also awarded to Mr. Francis William Aston, of Trinity College, Cambridge, the developer of the Mass Spectograph, and to Dr. Eijkman, of Utrecht University, for services to medical science.—(Reuter.)

### MARQUIS OF CREWE.

IMPROVEMENT IN HEALTH MAINTAINED.

*PARIS, Wednesday.*

Most favourable reports concerning the health of the Marquis of Crewe have been received from Cannes.

His Excellency expects to return to Paris at the end of the month for the official dinner he has arranged to give in honour of M. Poincaré.—(Reuter.)

### DISORDER IN COMMONS.

"THE RED FLAG" SUNG.

ASSAULT ON AN UNDER SECRETARY.

SPEAKER ADJOURNS THE HOUSE.

(BY OUR PARLIAMENTARY CORRESPONDENT.)

*WESTMINSTER, Wednesday.*

To judge by the appearance of the House of Commons this afternoon there were few absentees, except those entitled to be absent owing to pairing arrangements. The benches on either side of the House were filled, as were those under the galleries, and many members had taken places in the balcony allotted to members of the House. At the bar stood a compact little body all through the question hour.

Mr. Lloyd George came in early, and took his usual place. Then Mr. T. P. O'Connor took his seat just behind the ex-Premier. On the other side Sir Robert Horne and Sir Laming Worthington Evans put in an unusual appearance. The front Opposition bench was packed from end to end, with Mr. Ramsay Macdonald beaming in the centre. The minor lights of the House—Messrs. Kenworthy, Pringle, Shinwell, and others—were all in their accustomed places ready for the fray, or, as it turned out to be, the play.

Questions went on for forty minutes amid a murmur of conversation that made answers extremely difficult to catch, so that every now and again there was a loud shout of "speak up." Mr. Bonar Law entered at ten minutes past three amid enthusiastic cheering from his followers, which was joined in by the Opposition after a few moments. Then members settled down to wait impatiently until the end of questions for a statement from the Government regarding the incident of last night. The sting of that incident, however, had been drawn by the fact that a motion to be moved by the Prime Minister appeared on the order paper, "That this House will to-morrow resolve itself into the Committee of Supply."

LABOUR'S RIGHTS.

At last a quarter to four chimed from the clock tower, and the House became suddenly hushed, members gazing at the Prime Minister, who sat quietly smiling. Mr. Lloyd George got up and said that he wanted to ask the Prime Minister a question. Mr. Shinwell immediately intervened on a point of order. His argument was a very involved one, but it seemed to assume that Mr. Lloyd George was trying to steal the Opposition fire. Mr. Shinwell wanted to make out that it was the prerogative of the Leader of the Opposition to ask questions regarding business. The Speaker listened patiently to the long argument, and then said that if depended upon how many leaders of the Opposition there were.

At last Mr. Lloyd George was able to ask his question, which was what was to become of the agriculture discussion, and if it was to be curtailed or dropped, could not the Government promise another day. The Chancellor of the Exchequer said that the agricultural question would be taken after the debate on the Prime Minister's motion had been disposed of, and since he intended to say only a few words he hoped that it would not last very long. The Army Annual Bill would be taken after eleven o'clock to-night.

Then followed another little debate on the wickedness of the Minister of Health wishing to see the members of the Conservative Party in a Committee room concerning his Housing Bill. Mr. Chamberlain had announced that the text of the bill would be issued to members early to-morrow morning, but Mr. T. P. O'Connor, Mr. Kenworthy, and Mr. Trevelyan Thomson in turn pointed out how precedent was being set at defiance, how members of the House of Commons ought to have the bill presented to them before anybody else, and so on. The Chancellor of the Exchequer rose and said that the Prime Minister thought the precedent was a bad one, and that the meeting would take places.

WILD EXCITEMENT.

Then the Speaker asked the Clerk to read the Orders of the Day, and a tense half-an-hour came to a very tame ending. But only for a few minutes, for scenes of wild excitement, culminating in the suspension of the sitting for an hour, characterised the discussion, such as it was, on the Government motion when it was put to the House.

Mr. Ramsay Macdonald led off quietly enough with a request to the Speaker to give a ruling as to the procedure to be adopted, though his own opinion, plainly expressed, was that the Government had no right to repeal a motion which was negatived by the vote of the House yesterday.

The Speaker decided that the question of leaving the chair was not confined to one day in the session, and he further pointed out that what happened last night gave members a further opportunity of ventilating grievances before entering into Committee of Supply.

This matter having been disposed of, Mr. Baldwin, on behalf of the Prime Minister, who was unable to speak owing to throat trouble, rose to move the Government motion. The Government, he frankly admitted, had been caught napping, but that was no proof that it had lost the confidence of the House.

The Leader of the Opposition was inclined to disagree, while Commander Kenworthy characterised the Government's easy method of getting over its defeat as "a piece of effrontery."

"RESTRAINT AND DECORUM."

It was when Dr. Macnamara rose to speak that the real trouble began. He was greeted with a chorus of angry interruptions from the Labour members, who seemed to resent his intervention because he was absent from the debate last night. The Speaker rose to admonish the interrupters, when Mr. Kirkwood provoked a burst of laughter with, "But the Government will have to resign, Mr. Chairman." The fun grew fast and furious when Mr. Lees Smith was speaking, and there was a roar of laughter when he contended that the Labour Party were, under the circumstances, behaving with great restraint and decorum. Jeering remarks from the Government benches provoked hot retorts from the Labour representatives. Mr. Lees Smith's object in rising was to point out that the party opposite were not exactly Neophytes in the art of creating disorder, and he quoted a certain incident connected with the throwing of a book across the floor of the House. Why, he said, Mr. Jack Jones himself was a model of Parliamentary etiquette compared with—

Here the Speaker intervened with the remark that comparisons were not profitable.

Mr. Baldwin endeavoured to moderate the rising storm by promising to look afresh into the matter of the Lytton contracts as they affected ex-Service men; but the Labour members did not consider that good enough.

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What they wanted was an explicit assurance, and a tumultuous disturbance ensued when the Chancellor of the Exchequer moved the closure.

"The Red Flag" was sung by the Labour members, followed by rounds of cheers. In vain the Speaker appealed for order, and Mr. Will Thorne was led to suggest the adjournment of the House. "If you cannot get on with business," he said, "you might as well get up."

MOTION PASSED.

It was hard to say exactly what happened, but the Speaker declared that the closure and the main motion, "That this House will to-morrow resolve itself into Committee of Supply," was carried. Mr. Pretyman then rose to open the agricultural debate. Labour, however, was determined not to allow business to proceed, and they immediately began singing with mechanical repetition "Sit down" and "Speak up." Mr. Pretyman continued standing, but not a word could be heard in the midst of the disturbance, and finally the Speaker decided to suspend the sitting.

There were exultant cries from the Labour benches, and members were trooping out into the lobbies when an exciting incident occurred. A group of Labour members suddenly dashed across the floor of the House, and near the Speaker's chair confronted a knot of Ministerialists, among whom were Mr. Ormsby Gore (Under Secretary for the Colonies) and Colonel Walter Guinness. A fist shot up in close proximity to Mr. Gore's head, and he put up his arms to ward off the blow. "If it's a scrap you want, come outside," shouted Mr. Eyres Monsell. A scuffle ensued, the sequel of which was lost to the Press Gallery.

After a lapse of an hour's interval the Speaker returned to the chair, and said that, in view of the grave disorder which had occurred, he would, in virtue of the powers conferred upon him, adjourn the House without putting the question.

## LIQUOR SMUGGLING.

### UNITED STATES PROTEST TO BRITAIN.

In the House of Commons yesterday, Mr. Ronald McNeill, Under Secretary for Foreign Affairs, replying to questions as to the smuggling of liquor into the United States, said that representations had been made by the United States Government in regard to the export of liquor from West Indian ports, which appeared subsequently to be introduced into the United States by small craft putting off from the United States coast, and manned by United States citizens.

It was very difficult for the Government to interfere with the legitimate export of any article from British territory, especially as action taken by the Imperial Government alone would merely drive the trade into other channels. His Majesty's Government would deplore any complicity of British subjects in infringements of the law of the United States, and he was considering, in consultation with the other departments concerned, whether any action could be taken in the sense required by the United States Government.

Mr. Shinwell asked whether he was aware that vessels were leaving United Kingdom ports manned by British seamen, who were handed out revolvers at the commencement of the voyage and were offered fairly high wages as an inducement to undertake what was regarded as a risk in conveying liquor to America.

Mr. McNaill said that he had no information, but if information was supplied he would consider what action to take.

Mr. Hope Simpson asked the Under Secretary for Foreign Affairs whether he had any information as to a piratical attack on the Yarmouth schooner Eddie James, which occurred off the New Jersey coast on March 2nd; whether the schooner was laden with 600 cases of liquor, and whether the whole of the cargo had been removed and the supercargo wounded and kidnapped by pirates.

Mr. McNeill said that no information about this alleged incident had been received at the Foreign Office.

## INCENDIARISM.

### ATTEMPT TO BURN AN OFFICER'S HOUSE.

In Cork last night armed men attempted to burn the residence of Lieutenant-Commandant Bruce, at St. Luke's. The owner, a former British officer, served, until recently, in the Medical Branch of the National Army. The usual procedure of sprinkling the place with petrol was adopted, but neighbours, seeing the fire, came to the rescue, and, with the assistance of the Fire Brigade, extinguished the outbreak before much damage could be done.

## BODY IN A PIT.

### MYSTERY OF A WOMAN'S DEATH.

The body of a well-dressed woman has been recovered from a pit at Whiston, Lancashire, by two local lads.

The circumstances under which the woman met her death are a mystery. The body has not yet been identified.

## BIG FIRE IN BELFAST.

### EARLY MORNING HAVOC.

The centre of Belfast was illuminated at an early hour yesterday morning by a fire which broke out in the top storeys of a block of buildings having a frontage to Royal avenue and Berry street. A policeman observed smoke and flames at the top of the building, and summoned the fire brigade.

In a few minutes the flames had made rapid progress, and the upper storeys from Berry street corner to above Warnock's, in Royal avenue, were involved. Including a photographer's premises and the Ulster Blouse Company. The premises of Messrs. Warnock and the stock were damaged by water, as were also the stockrooms of Messrs. Walker and Hall, wholesale jewellers.

The caretaker of the building was confined to bed owing to illness, and was removed with difficulty. He had to be taken to hospital.

## AMRITSAR DISORDER.

### TROOPS CALLED TO QUELL FACTION FIGHT.

*SIMLA, Wednesday.*

Considerable tension has existed for some time between Hindus and Muselmans owing to the proselytising movement in both communities.

News has just been received here from Amritsar that a serious disturbance broke out there this evening, in the course of which twenty persons were injured. The immediate cause of the trouble was an attempt by some rowdy Muselmans to molest a Hindu girl.

The troops were called out and restored order. There was no fighting, but soldiers are still patrolling the city.—(Reuter.)

## MAINTENANCE OF FREE STATE ROADS.

At a roads meeting of Monaghan Rural Council, Mr. J. J. Hannigan, B.E., a well-known authority on Irish roads questions, foreshadowed legislation by the Free State Government making the main and trunk roads a national charge. He said that the probable scheme would be that the Government would pay one-half the cost of maintenance, and the County Council the remaining half. Most probably the main roads would be tarred, and that would affect a great saving. Warming might see an objection on the ground that tarred roads would sometimes be slippery, but that would be remedied by keeping the roads well sanded. The dust nuisance would be got rid of, and that would be a step forward in civilisation, as well as in the promotion of health.

## BRIGHTON MURDER CHARGE.

Archibald Westropp Weir, 42, an ex-soldier, was yesterday again remanded by Brighton magistrates on the charge of the wilful murder of Albert Fadbeia Parkes, 26, by shooting him in his garden on March 3. Weir was further charged with shooting at two other persons with intent to kill. The police said the Public Prosecutor would be ready to proceed with the case to-day.

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# THE FREE STATE PARLIAMENT.

## TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.

## NO DATE FOR BUDGET STATEMENT.

BY OUR POLITICAL CORRESPONDENT.

The Irish Free State Senate will meet to-day, when the committee stage of the Damage to Property (Compensation) Bill will be taken. Notice has been given of several amendments. Among those is one by Senator Andrew Jameson, proposing that the amounts of compensation awarded shall bear interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum from the date of the injury (which shall be stated on the decree) until the time of payment.

Senator Douglas's notice of motion (adjourned from March 21st) as to the advisability of applying for admission to the League of Nations again appears on the Order of the Day.

THE DAIL.

There are thirty-two questions on the Order paper of the Dail.

Mr. Darrell Figgis will ask the President whether he will set aside a day for discussion of the estimates of receipts and expenditure for the year ending 31st March, 1924, and the financial position revealed therein.

Mr. O'Shannon has given notice of two questions with regard to the Fugitive Offenders' Act.

Mr. Darrell Figgis will also ask the Minister for Home Affairs whether Dr. Conn Murphy, Dublin, who was arrested on the 20th March, has been on hunger strike; and whether it is intended to charge him with any offence.

After questions have been answered, the Dail will consider the Electoral Bill, as it has come back from the Senate.

The Summer-Time Bill (committee stage) will then be taken, after which the President will move a financial resolution.

It has not yet been decided when the Minister of Finance (Mr. Cosgrave) will make his Budget statement.

## THE DUKE'S WEDDING.

### ADDRESSES AND GIFTS PRESENTED.

The Duke of York, who was accompanied by Lady Elisabeth Bowes-Lyon, yesterday received at Buckingham Palace deputations, who presented addresses of congratulation and gifts on their approaching marriage.

The principal address was from the Lord Provost and civic dignitaries of Edinburgh, to which the Duke replied that he was gratified to learn that time had not diminished the feelings of affection and esteem which the citizens of Edinburgh entertained towards the members of his family.

Colonel Ewen Cameron, on behalf of the Grand Priory of Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem, bestowed upon Lady Elisabeth the dignity of Lady of Grace of the Order, and initiated her in that capacity.

Finally the Duke received a deputation of tour boys, representing 40,000 boys of the Y.M.C.A., who presented the Duke with a hunting crop and an address of congratulation. The boys came from Darlington, Liverpool, Leeds, and London.

The Duke warmly thanked the lads.

## THE DEPORTATIONS.

### A LONDON PROTEST.

Mr. Herbert Morrison, Secretary of the London Labour Party, has sent the following letter to the Prime Minister and the Home Secretary:—

"I am desired by the Executive Committee of the London Labour Party to forward to you their strong protest against the action of the Government in deporting to Ireland without trial certain British citizens against whom unproved allegations had been made. The Executive regard this as an exceedingly serious interference with the liberty of the subject, and to constitute the exercise in times of peace of those powers of Governmental dictatorship which were exeried during the period of the war.

"The Executive strongly condemn this tyrannical action, and demand that the persons concerned shall be restored to their domiciles, and that they shall not be further interfered with, unless they are put on trial and the charges against them proved by constitutional legal procedure."

## ANGRY COUNCILLOR.

### SCENE AT MANCHESTER MEETING.

An uproar arose at the Manchester City Council yesterday, when one of the members insisted, in defiance of the Lord Mayor's ruling, in calling attention to the removal of a Manchester citizen to Mountjoy Prison, Dublin, without trial.

After several minutes' angry disputation, the member was induced to resume his seat by the threat that, if he did not, he would be asked to leave the Chamber.

## CURE FOR LEPROSY.

### REMARKABLE SUCCESS OF NEW TREATMENT.

The annual meeting of the Mission to Lepers was held at the Gregg Hall, Dawson street, Dublin, yesterday, the Rev. James M. Alley presiding.

The Chairman said that hardly any body of sufferers needed the consolation of the Gospel of Christ more than lepers. But he was glad to say that a new hope had dawned on the lepers of the world, for, for the first time since the days of the Saviour on earth, the lepers were being cleansed. The Rev. Mr. Oldrieve had shown him wonderful photographs, which indicated how leprosy was being cured under a new system of treatment. The death rate from the terrible disease had reduced from 20 per cent. per year to 4 per cent. This welcome news should be an encouragement to them to go on with their good work in the full knowledge that God's blessing rested upon it. (Applause.)

The report of the Committee showed that the income, exclusive of legacies, during the past year amounted to £4,963 3s. 6d., the largest on record since the foundation of the Mission, in 1874. Gratitude was expressed to the earnest and devoted workers throughout the country for their efforts on behalf of the Mission.

The report then described some of the more important phases of the Society's work during the year, and indicated what remained to be done in still untouched areas in China, Africa, and other parts of the world where leprosy is prevalent.

Canon Jennings proposed the adoption of the report and statement of accounts and the re-election of the Committee, and paid a tribute to the work done for the Society by Mr. Bailey, Secretary for Ireland, who had resigned, but who had consented to continue in office as a part-time worker for the present.

The Rev. F. G. Gibson seconded the resolution, which was adopted.

The Rev. Frank Oldrieve, Secretary for India, congratulated the Mission on the efforts made during the year, and pointed out the great need for an extension of the work of the Mission.

Describing the effect of the new treatment for leprosy, he said that it consisted of hypodermic injections of a vegetable oil, which killed the bacilli of the disease.

## IN SEARCH OF SPONSORS.

### PLIGHT OF VICTOR IN ANGLESEY ELECTION.

Sir Robert Thomas, the Liberal victor in the Anglesey by-election, will not take his place in the House of Commons until next week, and it is not yet certain who his sponsors will be.

It is understood that the new member wrote to Mr. Asquith and to Mr. Lloyd George asking that they should do him the honour of introducing him to the House. Mr. Lloyd George consented to this arrangement, but Mr. Asquith declined, explaining that he had never undertaken such a duty except in the case of the return of Mrs. Wintringham.

# A TAX ON BETS.

## BRITISH CABINET AND THE PROPOSAL.

There is much speculation in Britain about the form of the relief which the Chancellor of the Exchequer will give to the taxpayers in his Budget.

Apparently much depends on the decision of the Cabinet on the proposed taxation of betting. The Chancellor's surplus is now estimated in Ministerial quarters to be about £35,000,000, which would be sufficient to reduce the beer duty by 1d. a pint and take 1d. per lb. off sugar. It is also desired to give further relief in income taxation to the extent of 6d. in the £.

This, it is said, can only be given if a fresh and adequate source of revenue is found. The Chancellor thinks that he has it in the proposed tax on bets of 10 per cent. The Cabinet must decide this controversial issue in the next day or two.

It can be stated definitely that the proposal has good support in the Cabinet. Mr. Baldwin will not be alone in his advocacy of it. It is viewed to some extent as a question of expediency, and not solely of finance.

There is a natural hesitation about embarkation upon further controversial issues.

CHEAPER BEER.

The probable reduction of a penny a pint in the price of beer was forecasted by Mr. Waters Butler, a prominent brewer, in addressing the licensed trade meeting at Birmingham yesterday. The brewers, he said, had been asked by the Chancellor of the Exchequer how much they could contribute to a reduction of a penny, and they were prepared to find several shillings towards the 24s. per barrel which the reduction represented.

# A CAPTURED DOCUMENT.

## REPORT TO THE LATE MR. LIAM LYNCH.

The Irish Free State Government Publicity Department states that the following report was sent to the late Mr. Liam Lynch "by one of his principal lieutenants in his Dublin office," and adds:—"It throws further light on the general disorganisation existing among the Irregulars":—

"From 'M.T.' (Dept. of C/S, G.H.Q., Dublin), 22nd March.

"To Chief of Staff.

"You have probably seen in Press that enemy still continues to publish American correspondence. From the latest note from Moylan to O/C Britain the Americans will not be too thankful to Moylan. It is derogatory of all things American and in America. The visit of Adjt. Britain did not apparently elucidate matters much from the report I received from D/Foreign Communications here. The D/Foreign Communications was captured here on Monday night last. Nobody appears to know anything about routes. I am sending a despatch by hand to America this week-end for Moylan. A friend of Miss McS.'s is taking it.

"The Director of Publicity, who was in Britain recently, has returned. The Q.M.G. will get him ready for the other expeditions immediately. Q.M.G. was raided recently, too. Of course, every one in difficulty comes to our billet. It is a damn shame, converting the place into a hotel. He is now fixed up. He is wondering who he will get to replace the late D/C. He wanted to know if he could get 'I. K.' I am wondering what will be the next department will want that officer. I had hopes of he working up intelligence which is certainly very backward and lacks driving force.

"Publicity—See enclosed letter from D/P. This department is probably burst up. I see the staff of the *Daily Bulletin* are reported as captured yesterday. If the turning out of *Eire* fails it is a bad job. I am sick of it.

"When the Assist. C/S called on Sunday night he told me his reports would arrive on Monday evening. I arranged at once for special courier to carry them on same evening to 3rd Eastern H.Q.—the latter to send them to you. The courier went and met Divisional O/C, who knew nothing about meeting place and did less, apparently, to find out or get the papers sent on. Courier did her best, but had to return. He must be a genius, no doubt.

"The matter of getting reports copied in A/G.'s Dept. is hopeless. The ridiculous excuse is that they have no typewriters. I have given hell to them, and asked O/C Dublin for goodness sake to 'commandeer' a typewriter.

"Stopping of amusements has been only a partial success.

"This new Brigade O/C, while I am sure he is a good officer, appears to be hopelessly out of touch with recent policy. He was unaware—so he said—of the issue of the most important orders. I have arranged that the D/I meet him and explain everything.

"News is not encouraging these days. There has not been a decent operation, whatever the cause is.

"The Q.M.G. is afraid the erection of the Customs barrier in the North will hamper the importation of raw materials, which was working well. There has been a good deal got in and distributed, and if distributed within the divisions we should not hear soon of shortage of explosives. I think it is how they are too lazy to manufacture the explosives, or, when they have the latter, to make the mines.

"Army Order No. 7 apparently met with a poor response. I wonder will Army Orders Nos. 2 and 3 work better. If units would only enforce A.O. No. 2 they would get in some cash, which they need badly. Is the dog registration tax being collected these times?

"We still have the 4th Western looking for cash and clothing. Why does not the Command 'requisition' the necessary stuff in some richer portion of the Command and area? Again, when staff is got in this way there is not sufficient supervision over it as to how it is disposed of. Supervision is also required over money and stamps seized in post-offices.

"Mise, le meas,

"M. T."

## FEAR OF PROHIBITION.

### NORTHERN PUBLICANS' ACTIVITY.

At a meeting of the Board of Management of the Ulster Vintners' Association, Mr. Thomas Agnew, the Chairman, reported a month of active work during March. Five public meetings had been organised in joint action with the anti-Prohibition Council, and all of them had been successful and enthusiastic gatherings. The people had been hard to arouse, but they were awakened to the danger that threatened their liberties, and showed that they were willing to co-operate in the movement against prohibition. Two further meetings were listed, and others would be arranged as time permitted. Some of the members thought that the people of Belfast should be kept in touch with the threat of complete Sunday closing by district meetings, and the suggestion was noted.

The secretary reported having summoned a conference of seaside hotel and inn-keepers, from which a deputation proceeded to an interview with the Prime Minister, who received the deputation with courtesy and listened patiently to the case they presented.

Attention was given to details of remedial legislation, which the Board considered would be beneficial in removing certain abuses in the future, and arrangements were discussed for presenting them at an opportune time.

## THE LATE REV. J. M'SWIGGAN.

The obsequies of the Very Rev. J. McSwiggan, P.P., Chapelizod, took place yesterday in the presence of a large assembly of clergy and the parishioners. As curate, and later as parish priest, Father McSwiggan had spent close on forty years in Chapelizod. A native of Dublin, where he was born over eighty years ago, he was educated in the Irish College, Rome, and Maynooth College.

Over seventy priests attended the Office and Requiem Mass, at which Monsignor Fitzpatrick presided.

The chief mourners were Messrs. E. S. and C. M. McSwiggan (nephews), and H. Jackson.

The attendance at the funeral was large, and included Rev. K. M. Dunlop, Chapelizod Rectory; Hugh McCarthy, Major J. Crooks, J. Frank Tyndall, Ministry of Defence; Patrick Baggot, P. McSwiggan, Dalkey; P. J. McGuinness, R. O'Donoghue, J. P. Dixon, and G. McGough.

The burial took place in Glasnevin Cemetery.

## WOMAN'S DEATH FROM BURNS.

Mrs. Elisabeth Harvey, 5 Elswick street, Belfast, who was seriously burned yesterday, as reported in our Northern News Items, died early this morning.

# TARGET GLIDERS.

## NEW PHASE OF AVIATION.

### TESTS IN AMERICA.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

*WASHINGTON, Wednesday.*

The development of the glider, or motorless airplane, is being closely studied with the view to attaining perfection by the United States Army Air Service.

The United States War Department, in making this official announcement, states it has become convinced that the development of interest by civilians in the glider will prove invaluable to the Government in training men for service as emergency airplane pilots. Several tests of the G.L. 2, a motorless airplane, have recently been conducted at McCook Field, at Dayton, the United States aviation training centre, and the results of those experiments, it is stated, were most satisfactory.

In one flight the machine covered 150 feet, and in another it exceeded 300 feet. The wind velocity during the tests was two to fifteen miles an hour.

A recent ingenious development of the glider at McCook Field is its use as a target for the practice of anti-aircraft gunnery. The so-called "target glider," as developed by the Air Service Engineering Division, is a smaller edition of the regular glider, and is fastened to the top-wing of an airplane. On being released the target glider gradually descends to the ground at a speed of about thirty miles an hour, affording a realistic target for anti-aircraft and airplane guns.

The target glider has a wing span of 12 feet 6 inches, an area of 13 square feet, and weighs 28lbs. This size was decided upon as presenting as much surface to the gunner as the vital spot of a full-sized airplane. The speed at which the glider descends may be regulated by surfaces. It can even be adjusted before release to "loop" or "spiral."

In view of the rapid development of glider flying both in England and on the Continent, where airplanes have been kept aloft for several hours in favourable conditions, the United States Army Air Service has come to the conclusion that it would be unwise to neglect this phase of aviation.

## NEGOTIATIONS FAIL.

### 500,000 BUILDERS TO STRIKE ON SATURDAY.

The negotiations in London between the building employers and operatives broke down at a late hour last night, and the employers' notices will take effect on Saturday.

In official statements the employers said that, in view of the fact that the question of hours had been under repeated consideration since October, 1920, they noticed with regret that the operatives' representatives, after three months of almost continuous negotiations, were apparently not empowered to effect a settlement upon wages and hours.

Recognising the necessity for an immediate settlement, the employers re-affirmed their offer to refer the interpretation of the National Agreement on wages and hours unreservedly to arbitration, provided such a course was agreed upon immediately. The operatives' negotiators were not in a position to accept the employers' offer, and the Conference broke up without settlement.

In their proposals to the employers, the operatives expressed their willingness to take a vote of their membership on the question of arbitration, and asked for time to obtain this decision.

The dispute affects 500,000 men.

## STRIKERS IN WORKHOUSE.

The position in regard to the farm strike in Norfolk remains unchanged. It is reported that some 600 police from other counties have been drafted into Norfolk, and that, as a consequence, there has been less evidence of intimidation.

A number of strikers have entered the Wicklewood Workhouse, leaving their wives and families at home to live on strike pay.

One of the strike organisers declared yesterday that if the dispute continued others would adopt the same course.

## ROSE FROM THE GRAVE.

### WOMAN JOINS IN HER OWN FUNERAL FEAST.

A dramatic incident occurred at a funeral, at Toulouse, of a countrywoman who had been certified dead by a doctor. The funeral was arranged with the full ceremony of the countryside, and a long *cortège* followed the coffin to the cemetery. The coffin was already lowered into the grave, when the last prayers were interrupted by a moan from the coffin, which was quickly raised, and the woman was found breathing heavily.

She quickly recovered consciousness at the graveside, and, seeing the large crowd of mourners, angrily demanded of her relatives—"Who was going to pay for it all?" Later, however, she recovered her good humour and insisted on presiding at the banquet, where the food ordered for the funeral repast was eaten and her health drunk.

## THE LATE DR. O'DEA.

### FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS.

The remains of the late Roman Catholic Bishop of Galway were removed yesterday evening from Mount St. Mary's, Galway, to the Cathedral, where they were laid on a catafalque before the High Altar. Thousands had visited the remains as they lay in state at the Palace, the mourners comprising, not merely all classes from the city, but a number of country people.

Several thousands followed the hearse, the procession being preceded by over eighty priests from Galway and the surrounding dioceses. Most Rev. Dr. O'Doherty, Bishop of Clonfert, was amongst those present at the removal of the remains.

The Chamber of Commerce adjourned its meeting yesterday as a mark of respect, and requested that all shops should be closed from 10.45 this morning for the funeral, which will take place to the vault in St. Patrick's Church.

## WOOLWICH AND SANDHURST.

Colonel Guinness has written to Colonel Mason to say that there is no present intention of abolishing the competitive examinations for entry into Woolwich and Sandhurst. But the whole question of the conditions of entry is still before Lord Haldane's Committee, and it is open to them to make such recommendations as they see fit.

## CUMANN NA nGAEDHEAL.

At a conference representative of Cumann na nGaedheal Clubs in Dublin on Tuesday, April 10, delegates for the approaching National Convention were chosen. In view of the forthcoming Parliamentary and Municipal elections, every effort is being made to strengthen the organisation.

## THE PAPERMAKERS' STRIKE.

Notwithstanding the embargo regarding the handling of paper for Government purposes, the first section of the *London Gazette*, running to 16 pages, was issued last night from His Majesty's Stationery Office. It is understood that the remaining portion will be issued to-day.

## WOMAN BRUTALLY MURDERED.

Early yesterday morning a terrible tragedy occurred in the Middlewood district of Sheffield, the victim being a young woman named Ada Bradley (23), who was found dead with her head battered and her throat cut at the Middlewood car terminus on Langsett avenue. The dead woman was a nurse at Wharncliffe War Hospital. A woman is in custody on suspicion of being concerned in the tragedy.

## BANK OF IRELAND CLERKSHIPS.

At the examination in January last, 16 appointments were gained by pupils of Roses COLLEGE, Stephen's Green. 10 successes at previous examination. First place on 11 occasions.—(Advt.)

*IMPERIAL PARLIAMENT.*

# IRISH QUESTIONS IN COMMONS.

## IMPERIAL EXPENDITURE

## LORD DERBY AND THE INTERNEES.

Colonel Newman asked the Prime Minister why, in the estimates for the present financial year, Ireland, for the purposes of Imperial expenditure, had been treated as one country, whereas the island was now divided into two parts, with Governments independent of each other and in different relations to this country, and was he aware of the difficulty which this method of presenting British expenditure in Ireland occasioned.

Major Boyd Carpenter—If the right hon. and gallant member will refer to the estimates he will find that separate votes on sections of votes are given for service in Northern Ireland or the Free State in five cases. The other Irish services are services which cannot conveniently or consistently, with proper accounting, be shown in two sections. I am not aware of any difficulty arising from the method of presentment.

LORD DERBY'S VISIT.

Lieutenant-Colonel Guinness, in reply to Mr. Pringle, said that the Earl of Derby's visit to Northern Ireland was official only in so far as it concerned the inspection of Regular troops. As to whether any communications passed between the Secretary for War and the Northern Government as to the 500 internees at Larne who had presented their cases before the Advisory Committee, the Earl of Derby had informed him that no communication whatever on the subject had passed between him and the Northern Government.

CUSHENDALL INQUIRY.

Mr. Bridgeman writes, in reply to Mr. T. P. O'Connor, that the report of the Cushendall inquiry has been presented to the Government. This inquiry was instituted by the British Government because it was alleged that British troops were involved in an attack upon the inhabitants of Cushendall. The result of the inquiry showed that this allegation was unfounded, as the report, apart from the allegation in question, related solely to matters within the jurisdiction of the Government of Northern Ireland, it was not proposed to publish it unless by the request of that Government.

IRISH REPRESENTATIVE PEERS.

Mr. Bonar Law writes, in reply to Commander Bellairs, that he is aware that Ireland has twenty-eight representative peers to sixteen for Scotland. The Law Officers of the Crown have advised that, in the event of a vacancy occurring, no action to fill it can be taken without further legislative provision, but that existing representative peers retain their right to sit. The matter is under consideration.

COMPENSATION AWARDS.

Mr. Ormsby Gore, in reply to Mr. Collison, who asked what steps are being taken to carry out the agreement stated by Mr. Churchill to have been made with the Irish Provisional Government that compensation should be paid for English farm fires in 1921, attributed to Sinn Fein activities, writes that he is not aware that Mr. Churchill made any such statement as that attributed to him by the hon. member. He did state that was the case—that it was agreed between the British Government and the Provisional Government that, in assessing the liability of the British Government to refund to the Provisional Government a proportion of the sum expended by the Provisional Government in respect of the payment of the awards of the Compensation (Ireland) Commission, the damage done by the adherents of Sinn Fein in Great Britain should be taken into account, and this agreement had been carried into effect.

COST OF LIVING.

Major Boyd Carpenter, writing in reply to Mr. John Davison, who asked whether, in view of the fact that the cost of living in Ireland is now estimated at 90 per cent. over pre-war figures, he would consider the advisability of awarding a commensurate bonus to British Civil Servants stationed in Ireland, such as servants of the Ministry of Pensions, who are receiving only the same bonus as those stationed in England, where the cost of living is appreciably lower, states that bonus is payable to the staff in Southern Ireland of Imperial Departments, such as the Ministry of Pensions, in accordance with the agreement of the National Whitley Council Cost of Living Committee of the 8th May, 1920, which could not, in his view, be regarded as abrogated by the arrangements made by the Free State Government as regarded remuneration of staffs now payable from Irish funds.

## FIRST AIR "STUNTER."

### RACING AIRMAN TO FLY BRISTOL MACHINES.

Major E. L. Foot, one of the most famous racing airmen, has been engaged by the Bristol Aeroplane Company to fly racing and other machines for them. He takes up his new duties next week.

Major Foot is generally credited with introducing scientific "stunting" in the Royal Flying Corps.

On a memorable November day an Avro machine was seen doing a vertical sideslip towards the ground. Everyone waited for the crash, but the machine fluttered out and repeated the performance several times. Major Foot—he was the pilot—then tried rolls and spins, and this was the beginning of the famous Gosport School of "Stunting."

Major Foot served in the famous 56th Squad with Ball, Bishop, Mannock, and M'Cudden. Since the war he has been flying for the Handley-Page firm.

## NORTHERN EDUCATION.

### PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH'S VIEWS

The Board of Education of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland has approved the leading provisions of the Northern Education Bill. It suggests, however, that the arrangements for religious instruction should be based in general on the recommendations of the Lynn report, and it condemns the proposal to place the appointment of teachers and the ordinary duties of management in the hands of Education Committees of boroughs or of Regional Committees of counties, whose members are drawn from wide areas of the counties, and cannot be in close touch with each school. To limit the functions of management of School Committees to the care of premises and grounds will not, in the judgment of the Board, facilitate the transfer of schools to local authorities, or increase the interest and the sense of responsibility in the locality served by the school, which are so essential to the welfare of education.

The Board considers that in voluntary schools under committees as provided in the bill the entire cost of heating and cleaning should be borne by the Ministry, as recommended by the Lynn Committee, and not merely the half, as in the bill.

It suggests that direct provision should be made in the bill to pay adequate salaries and pensions to teachers of preparatory and secondary schools which elect to remain under a board of governors other than the education authority.

That the Ministry should have power to render the same financial assistance to a secondary school for the purpose of building and equipment as it is able by the terms of the bill to render to a voluntary primary school.

## ARRESTS AND CAPTURES.

The National Army Headquarters last night issued the following official report:—

"Troops operating about Nenagh area captured an important local irregular named Ryan, of Lacken district. He was fully armed when taken prisoner. Four other irregulars were captured with Ryan.

"In the Kilkee area the troops made the following arrests:—Patrick and John Meskelling and Dan Grogan, latter column man.

"In the Ballyvaughan district the following arrests were made:—Michael and Patrick Babbitt, Patrick Hurley."

M.G.W. RAILWAY MALE CLERKSHIPS.

Last exam., August, 1922. Successful from SKERRY'S COLLEGE, 76 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin—Messrs. Feeney, O'Brien, Grogan, Clarken, Travers, Ryan, McGovern, Hourigan, Carbery, Craig, McGonnell, Rice, and Quinn. Best Result.—(Advt.)

# GERMAN REVOLT IN MEMEL.

## PROTEST AGAINST LITHUANIAN RULE.

## THREE KILLED IN STRIKE RIOT.

*WARSAW, Wednesday.*

The following message from a Polish source in Memel has been received here:—After a general strike had been proclaimed at Memel as a protest against the Lithuanian authorities, a meeting which was being held on the outskirts of the town was dispersed by troops. Three workmen were killed and a number wounded. The commander in the Memel territory declares that he will stop at nothing to break the resistance of the strikers.

The population is exasperated at the conduct of the Lithuanian authorities, and the whole life of the people has been disorganised. The situation is becoming daily more critical. Germans throughout the territory—Extreme Right and Communists alike—are opposed to the Lithuanian authorities. The opposition is being led by the German trades unions.

The Lithuanian Government has despatched considerable forces to Memel and to Heydekrug, where martial law has been proclaimed.

Many arrests have been made. Demonstrations held to obtain the release of persons arrested were dispersed by troops. Machine-guns have been placed at various commanding points in the streets.

The Lithuanian commander has ordered the dissolution of the Memel-Germany-Lithuanian Union, whose leaders have been arrested and deported.

A strict Press censorship has been imposed.—(Reuter.)

## STRIKERS FIRE FIRST.

### COMMUNIST INSTIGATION.

*KOVNO, Wednesday.*

A message received here to-day from a Lithuanian source in Memel says that fire was opened against demonstrators there only after the mob had shot at the troops and wounded a soldier.

Only Germans and Communists are taking part in the strikes. Many workers, on the other hand, are returning to work, declaring that they have been misled by their leaders.

The Communists are demanding the release of the arrested leaders, and negotiations have been started for the reduction of their sentences.

Factories are still closed, but shops are re-opening, in spite of interference from Communists. There is a small supply of water, but not of electric current. The strike of postal and telegraphic employés is ended, and, according to the latest news, the general strike is now coming to an end.—(Reuter.)

## DUBLIN-BUILT DREDGER.

### TRIALS IN DUBLIN BAY.

On Wednesday and Thursday, 4th and 5th April, exhaustive dredging and speed trials were carried out by the new steel screw hopper grab dredger Elsinore, which has been built to the order of the Sligo Harbour Commissioners by the Dublin Dockyard Company, Limited. The dimensions of the vessel are:—Length, B.P., 95ft. 6in.; breadth, moulded, 24ft. 6in.; depth, moulded, 9ft. 6in., and she is capable of carrying 200 tons of spuil in her hopper, besides bunker coal, etc., on a draft of 8ft. 4in. She is built of steel, to Lloyd's highest class, and has additional strengthening in the bottom and other important parts, where experience has proved such to be desirable. The Elsinore is fitted with a complete towing arrangement, so that she may act as a tug when required. Comfortable and commodious accommodation is provided for officers and crew. The dredging machinery consists of a powerful steam grab crane, by John H. Wilson and Company, Limited, having an outreach of 20ft., and a "Priestman" grab, capable of lifting 2½ tons from a depth of 40 feet below vessel's deck.

The propelling machinery, which has been constructed by Messrs. William Beardmore and Company, Limited, and installed at Dublin by the Dublin Dockyard Company, Limited, consists of a set of compound surface condensing engines, having cylinders 11in. and 24in. diameter, with a stroke of 16in. The boiler, which is of ample capacity, is of the return tube type, and has a working pressure of 125lbs. per square inch.

A mean speed of 7.5 knots was obtained on the trials over a measured course of 1.33 nautical miles in Dublin Bay.

The vessel has been constructed under the supervision of Mr. James Marton, naval architect.

## JEWELS STOLEN FROM HOTEL.

At Windermere yesterday George Williams was remanded, charged with stealing jewellery and clothing to the value of £3,000, the property of Mr. and Mrs. Snaddon, of Black Drummond, Perthshire.

It was stated that the accused man stayed on Monday night at a hotel at Bowness, from which the property was missed, and that it was found in the accused man's possession at Kendal when he was arrested.

## METHODIST CHURCH NEWS.

Rev. H. I. Bishop and Mrs. Bishop, of Portuguese East Africa, and Rev. L. W. Juby and Mrs. Juby, of Sierra Leone, West Africa, have returned home on furlough.

Mr. T. L. Feaveu, for many years a member of Parliament for Hull, has been appointed Joint Honorary Treasurer of the Temperance Council of the Christian Churches of England and Wales.

Rev. Dr. Ritson has gone to visit the Bible Society's workers in Egypt and Palestine.

It is announced that three bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church, U.S.A., have been invited to Moscow to advise the Soviet authorities in reorganising the Russian Orthodox Church.

The Centenary Church has suffered severely during the past week in the death of two members and officials. Mr. Edward Carroll, who had been in ill-health for a considerable time, died in a nursing home in Southsea. He was a man of much personal charm and devoted to his church, and his early removal is regretted by a wide circle of friends. Three days later a wire from Montana, Switzerland, conveyed the news of the death of Mr. C. F. Crowe. A serious illness three months ago compelled him to go abroad, in the hope of recovery, but in the prime of his manhood and usefulness he, too, has gone to his rest. The church and Christian Endeavour Society and Young Men's Class will sorely miss his quiet and devout help.

Among the names of the successful candidates at the recent Sunday School Teachers' Examination Miss Margaret Wood, Wesley College, is the only Dublin candidate who passed successfully among twenty-seven examinees.

Mr. W. Wallace, J.P., of Blackrock, who has been nominated for election to Conference, received that honour forty-five years ago, when laymen were first admitted to the Irish Conference.

Recent College and University successes of Dublin Methodist students contain the names of Miss Carson and Mr. Alan Brown (final medical), and Mr. R. E. Madden, 1st class pass (2nd year medical).

## ADDRESS TO A BISHOP.

Yesterday at Ferrybank Convent, Waterford, an address of welcome was presented to Dr. Downey, Coadjutor Bishop of Ossory, who will administer the Sacrament of Confirmation to the children of Ferrybank parish on Friday.

# "RED" PLOT IN AMERICA.

## SEVEN ARRESTS BY SECRET SERVICE AGENTS.

## "SOVIET" IN THE UNITED STATES.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

*NEW YORK, Wednesday.*

Considerable importance is attached by the authorities here to the arrest of seven "Red" leaders by Secret Service agents, at a gathering of "Reds," who met ostensibly to discuss the Foster Communist trial at Michigan.

It is understood that the arrests have unearthed a huge plan to convert all United States Government employees to Soviet principles. The large number of documents and correspondence seized indicate that the Bolshevik scheme was to include the organising of a widespread propaganda plan among Government workers, with the object of undermining Government procedure at the American capitol.

The unearthing of the plot was due to the work of a Secret Service agent, who became a member of the "Reds" organisation.

## PEACEFUL TYRONE.

### CRIMINAL INJURIES AT VANISHING POINT.

His Honour Judge Linehan addressing the Grand Jury at Omagh Crown Sessions yesterday, said that criminal injuries, which formerly had occupied so much of his time at Quarter Sessions, had now been reduced almost to vanishing point in the County of Tyrone. All concerned in the administration of the law were to be congratulated on that state of affairs.

The only bill of indictment to go before the Grand Jury was in connection with the rescue of goods out of the custody of a bailiff after they had been seized by the Sheriff on a Civil Bill decree.

## WRITING A PLAY.

### MR. ROBINSON'S SIMPLE ESSENTIALS.

In the writing of a play the first essential is to have something to write about, said Mr. Lennox Robinson in discussing the presentation of "My New Curate" at the Father Mathew Hall last night. The next essential is to express what one has to say in terms of real life.

Mr. Rob

# STORE CATTLE.

## ADVANTAGES OF IRISH BREEDERS.

## REFORMS WHICH MUST BE MADE.

BY JAMES CAMERON

(The Well Known Scottish Judge of Livestock).

Central and Southern or South-Western Ireland may with confidence be classed as the best breeding and grazing grounds in Western Europe for commercial cattle. Meath and Westmeath may be taken broadly as the ideal in natural kindliness and the resource of soil, but the majority of grazing areas to the South and South-West have their own virtues. Then over all there is the wonderful climate—moist, no doubt, taken as a whole, but with a warm breath intermingled. What an advantage it is to have the growing stock in the open. The constant grazing of the finer areas by store cattle without adequate returns to the soil in phosphatic manures has been seen to be a form of danger by Professor Wilson and others. But a seen danger like a seen dearth can be guarded against.

Let me be perfectly frank in regard to the producing position. Irish store cattle have been affected for the worse by the disturbed state of the country. "Patriots" of the townbred and purely political order are blind and deaf to this aspect of their country's fortunes. It, therefore, behoves all other classes of the community to strive resolutely for best results from land and stock. The standard must be well maintained in selection of bulls and in the retaining of breeding females. Last year Southern men were afraid to buy at Belfast. There was a threat over their heads. I was glad to notice last month that there had been a return to sanity in this matter of tolerating or encouraging free selection. In bygone years one has sometimes seen an undue proportion of well-bred heifers passing from the store cattle districts of Ireland across the Channel, especially to England. This is a matter which is difficult to control, but it is only reasonable that some form of restriction should be in force where the premium system is in full play.

FAVOURITES IN SCOTLAND.

The Irish Shorthorn grades and crosses between these and the Aberdeen-Angus are the first favourites in Scotland. The first crosses with the Hereford are very good, but the nearer one is to the Whitefaces the more the animals are adapted for finishing on the grass. North of the Scottish border the pure Hereford has never been liked for winter court feeding. Our Scottish butchers do not like the colour of the inside of a Hereford finished with plenty of cake in covered courts. Their ideal is, of course, the Scottish North-Eastern blacks and blue-greys, but the Irish Shorthorn grades, and very specially the crosses between these and the Aberdeen-Angus—all finished in the best feeding districts of Scotland—have always been welcome. But feeders in Scotland dislike the black horned Irish lots, such as crosses from the Kerry. There are polled blacks also which grow long in the tail and wise, but which men of skill avoid. I need not go into the breeding of these. Let it be granted that it is not easy to produce milk on high, poor and exposed land and also breed useful feeding cattle.

There must be drastic reforms in the general handling of the Irish store cattle. At railway sidings, at shipping and unshipping ports, at sale rings, and, indeed, mainly along the general course from breeder to buyer, the stick is shamefully used. At the entrance to a representative sale ring the ear hints at something akin to stone-breaking inside the enclosure. All this expenditure of energy in the wrong place has to be paid for in some form. Even in the case of Irish carcases from portkilled animals one sees too many bruises along backs and rumps. The marks of the stick are also seen on Irish pigs, alive and dead.

THE CHIEF SOURCE.

In spite of Canadians, Scotland must look very much towards Ireland for cattle which are fit to graze profitably and then finish in autumn or winter. There is no use in thinking of putting Canadian stores out to graze in any of the Western counties of Scotland. Prior to 1892, as I remember well, the big, over-aged cattle from Canada did fairly well for a spell on the Ayrshire coast in the season if they had a dry start. They could bear any amount of dry cold, but wet weather at the outset set their backs up, while the Irish cattle were doing quite well under like conditions. The old Canadians were also despisers of all ordinary fences.

The younger Canadians which are now to be landed may be slightly more adaptable. Still, I should have my doubts as to their general suitability for a period of grazing in Scotland. Norfolk is more likely to suit them for grazing. The younger cattle are also certain to be poorer in flesh than were the old Canadians of over thirty years ago. An animal which has gone through two or three hard winters tends to be dry in flesh. The cut from a properly-finished Irish bullock had always plenty of natural gravy in it, but the old Canadian yielded little of that juice, as a rule.

Well-bred Irish cattle, with plenty of hair on them, should still have a good outlet from late February, on through March and early April. But the landing regulations impose a considerable handicap.

# WEXFORD AND PEACE.

## APPEAL TO MONSIGNOR LUZIO.

The Wexford County Council has passed the following resolution:—

"That, realising the great desire of our Holy Father the Pope for peace, particularly in Ireland, this, the premier body of the county, avails itself of the visit of Monsignor Luzio, Papal Envoy, to request him, in view of the anxiety of our people to secure peace, to use every effort possible to bring about a satisfactory settlement of the present most deplorable conflict. The resolution to be forwarded to the Most Rev. Dr. Byrne, Archbishop of Dublin, for transmission to Monsignor Luzio."

It was also decided to forward a copy of the resolution to Cardinal Logue.

# FINANCIAL RELATIONS.

## NORTHERN IRELAND'S CASE.

The third meeting of the Special Arbitration Committee, to adjust the financial relations between Great Britain and Northern Ireland, was held yesterday. There were present:—Lord Colwyn, in the chair; Sir Laming Worthington Evans, M.P.; Sir Josiah Stamp and Mr. W. Pierce, secretary.

The case put forward by Northern Ireland was further argued by Mr. Pollock, Minister of Finance, and Sir Ernest Clark, and replies were made on behalf of the Treasury by Mr. Upcott, Mr. Hawtrey, and others.

A further sitting will be held today.

WRINKLES appear early in life when the skin does not function as it should. Gentle manipulation by a Pomeroy Masseuse tightens up the muscles, coaxes unseen grime out of the pores, and generally feeds and rejuvenates.

*Make an appointment to-day.*

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# THE NEW LAW COURTS IN DUBLIN.

Court No. 4 (formerly the Throne R oom) in Dublin Castle.

# GRADED BUTTER.

## CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY'S OPINION.

At a special meeting of the Killeshandra Co-operative Society, Ltd. (Colonel Clifford presiding), the question as to the best means of improving the price and reputation of Irish butter on the British markets was fully discussed, and the following resolution on the subject was, on the motion of Major W. J. Hamilton, D.L., unanimously adopted:—

"That we, the Committee of the Killeshandra Co-operative Agricultural and Dairy Society, Ltd. (Co. Cavan), having a trade turnover of £137,000 per annum, and manufacturing butter on co-operative lines for 2,984 farmers, strongly support the butter grading scheme put before the Agricultural Commission by the Irish Dairy (Producers and Shippers) Association. We are convinced, after due consideration, that only by the methods suggested in that scheme can the standard of Irish butter be permanently improved and the commercial reputation of the proposed national brand be respected and safeguarded."

A second resolution demanded that the producers and shippers get direct and effective representation, and thus avoid the pitfalls which brought so much disaster and loss in the case of past schemes and "controls."

A third resolution was as follows:—

"That we represent the largest and most successful society of co-operative farmers in this country. Our produce has, on more than one occasion, beaten Danish in open competition at British agricultural shows; therefore, we claim to know from practical experience what is required to raise the standard and price of Irish butter, and we trust that the Commission of Agriculture taking evidence in this matter will, before coming to a decision, give due consideration to our views."

# DUNDALK RATES.

## CHAIRMAN AND THE SEIZURE OF THE BOOKS.

At the Dundalk Urban Council meeting the Chairman, Mr. Peter Hughes, M.P., referred to the seizure of the town-rate and poor-rate books. Some persons had refused Mr. Magrath and Mr. Murphy of their books. He said that the outcome of this was that if the Council could not get the £4,000 that was due to them they would have to close down and sack their men, and if those who took the books thought it was good policy to have forty or fifty men idle—there was too much unemployment in the town already—well and good. At the same time he wished it to be understood that the collectors were not to cease collecting the money. They had ample means at their disposal to know those who had paid and those who had not, and he took it that the Council would order them to proceed and get as much of the outstanding money as possible. The Council had, of course, the alternative of carrying the money forward, but it was a course which he did not want them to take. They had always to carry forward some money, but they would want a good proportion of the £4,000 to carry them through until the new rate started to come in. The probability was that they would have to get an overdraft from their bankers until such time as the new rate came in. Meantime, the collectors were to proceed and get in as much as possible of the arrears in the ordinary way.

Mr. Deery—Have you not a means of knowing what each person owes? Have you not duplicates?

The Chairman—Certainly.

Mr. Coburn—Sure it was never intended that they should not go round and collect.

The Chairman—Fearing that some persons might be under the impression that everything was lost and that they might not be willing to pay, I made the statement in public.

# GAMING LAW PROBLEM.

## CLAIM FOR BETTING LOSSES.

Mr. Justice McCardie yesterday reserved judgment in the King's Bench Division, London, in a claim by Mr. William Henshall, of Golder's Green, against Mr. Coates Fothergill Porter, of Leeds, to recover £335, value of cheques given in respect of betting losses. The question involved was whether the plaintiff's claim was not barred by the Act of 1922, as the writ was not issued until after the passing of the Act, although the transactions took place before it.

Counsel for the defendant argued that the action could not be maintained.

Counsel for the plaintiff said that it was a clear rule at common law that the new Statute did not affect vested rights unless clear words were used to signify that intention.

It was stated that many cases were affected by this action.

# MISS SHEILA LOCKE.

## WRITER'S ADOPTED DAUGHTER AND "ODIOUS SUGGESTION."

The Press Association says that Miss Sheila Locke, the adopted daughter of the distinguished novelist, writing from Cannes, says—"I should be obliged if you would allow me to deny in your columns, with the utmost indignation, what counsel acting on my behalf at the recent inquest termed an odious suggestion,' i.e. that Mrs. Locke wrote a letter under my name.

"The letter in question, like all others read at the inquest purporting to come from me, was written by me, in my own hand, expressing my deepest feelings, without inspiration or dictation from either Mr. or Mrs. Locke, who had always been over-scrupulous in not desiring to influence me in any manner."

The inquest referred to was that held on April 5, at Hammersmith, London, on her father, Mr. Alfred Sandells Baines, who committed suicide in his flat at Bayswater, London, during a fit of temporary insanity, following the refusal of his daughter, a minor, to return to him. She had been living since April, 1921, with Mr. and Mrs. Locke, who recently adopted her.

# WOMEN P.O. SUPERVISORS.

Salaries paid to women supervisors evoked strong protests at the Post Office Controlling Officers' Conference at Glasgow yesterday, many women delegates urging better conditions and declaring that great dissatisfaction existed. It was urged that the question should be raised on the Post Office estimates debate in the House of Commons next week.

# LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

## MUNICIPAL REFORM IN DUBLIN.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—The poor we have always with us, and housing was, is, and always will be of the utmost importance, particularly in this city of ours, which is 1883 years old. In 1851 the population was 261,700; in 1891, forty years later, it was only 245,001. The reason of this reduction was that those who could afford to live outside the city boundary built beautiful dwelling-houses in the adjoining townships, while retaining the shops, warehouses, and factories in the city, where they made, and still continue to make, their money.

In 1900 five districts were added, and the census in 1911 was 304,802; Rathmines and Rathgar, 37,840; Pembroke, 29,294. Many efforts were made to annex these, but without success. If they were added, the population of Greater Dublin would be 371,936. My reason for taking such an interest in this matter is that we had a smallpox epidemic forty-four years ago. Slum-dwellers suffered most. The Bull Alley area was the worst. Lord Iveagh bought this out, made St. Patrick's Park, and erected blocks of artisans' dwellings, lodging-house, baths, etc. The Dublin Artisans' Dwellings Co., established on business lines with a capital of £500,000 in 50,000 shares of £10 each, built a lot of small houses valued from £5 to £17 in the same locality. All are well let, and they have thousands of names on their books who want similar accommodation.

We have, unfortunately, only one Lord Iveagh, but we have a great many merchants like the directors of the D.A.D. Co., who could form commercial dwellings as well as artisans' dwellings companies, and prevent the north side decaying. These could be established on business lines, and I have no doubt whatever that they would pay a fair dividend. Men who had only 15s. to 20s. a week forty years ago, and found it hard to pay 3s. 6d. a week for a room in a tenement, are now paid 50s. to 60s., and can afford to pay 8s. or 10s. for a small house. The thrifty ones would gladly take a £5 or £10 share, so that they would have a prior claim, when the houses would be built. At present there is such a hunger that people give as much as £20 for a key.

This question should interest clergymen, employers of labour, the Citizens' Association, Rotarians, after-dinner speakers, etc. One of the latter some years ago told a very good story. "Five families lived in one large room in a tenement, one in every corner, and one in the middle. All lived happily until the family in the middle took in a lodger." Everybody laughed, naturally; but, if a wag had added that these people were tailors and tailoresses, and that the diners' dress-suits were made in that room, and that the lodger had smallpox or some other infectious disease, they would soon rush home and destroy their clothes.

We will soon have a new franchise. Public bodies want reforming—at present they are too unwieldy. If Rathmines and Pembroke were added to the city, I would suggest the scrapping of all existing boards. Forty members should do all the Corporation business, and these townships could send in about eight or ten representatives. Eight members would be sufficient for the Poor Law Board, this number to include urban and rural districts; thirty members, also, for the Asylum Board, to include urban and rural districts and the counties Louth and Wicklow. This means 100 all told. Hold meetings on Wednesdays (the half-holiday)—committee on the last Wednesday, and general on the first Wednesday of the month. Pay every member £1 for attendance. The *maximum* cost would be £2,400.

A business man cannot neglect his own work, but, if his shop were closed and he had his evening off, he could attend a Corporation, Poor Law or Asylum meeting, get paid his money, and look after his own and our business.

A new Corporation, composed of business men, should get a list of all the ruins in the different wards. Ground landlords should either rebuild or sell to the Corporation. Our worthy Recorder is just the right man to deal justly between these two parties. The idea of appointing Special Commissioners does not appeal to me at all, as we have a Local Government Board which has the power to dissolve elected bodies if it is necessary.—Yours, etc.,

"An Old Resident Ratepayer."

Dublin, April 11th, 1923.

## REGISTRATION OF VOTES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—May I request you to give prominence to the announcement, already published in the Press, to the effect that the period for receiving claims to be registered as Parliamentary or Local Government electors has been extended by the Minister for Local Government until the 25th instant, instead of the 11th instant, as previously announced? Persons residing in the city who are anxious to satisfy themselves that they are properly returned on the electors' list may inspect the same at any of the public libraries, or at the office for registration of voters in Exchange Buildings, Lord Edward street. At the latter address every facility is afforded by the staff to members of the public making inquiries.—Yours, etc.,

John J. Murphy, Town Clerk,
Deputy Registration Officer.

The Town Clerk's Office, Dublin,
April 11th, 1923.

# BARONET'S DEATH.

## REVOLVER FOUND NEAR DEAD BODY.

The inquest on the body of Sir John Holdsworth Dimsdale, Bart., which was found on Tuesday evening in a churchyard adjoining Old Seasalter Church, near Whitstable, may be held to-day.

The discovery was made by a man who was on his way home from work. There was a bullet wound through the mouth, and apparently the deceased gentleman had been dead for some hours. Near the body was an automatic revolver.

Sir John was about forty-one years of age.


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# DARING BURGLARY.

## COLONEL GRETTON'S HOUSE RANSACKED.

A daring burglary was carried out on Tuesday night at Stapleford Park, Leicestershire, the residence of Colonel and the Hon. Mrs. John Gretton, and when the discovery was made it was found that many articles of value were missing. Mrs. Gretton was at home at the time.

Entrance to the house was effected by forcing the window of a storeroom. All the down-stairs rooms were ransacked and drawers and boxes broken open. Several bedrooms also were entered, including that in which Lady St. Audries, sister of Mrs. Gretton, was sleeping, her pearl necklace being stolen. Many valuable pieces of jewellery were taken.

The total value of the stolen articles is estimated at £2,000.

# MAGEE COLLEGE.

## CHANGES IN DIVINITY COURSE.

The closing morning of the session of McCrea-Magee College, Londonderry, was held for Examination Hall yesterday, Professor J. R. Leebody, M.A., D.Sc., President of the Faculty, in the chair. The proceedings opened with prayer by the Rev. Professor Strahan, D.D.

In his address, the President referred to changes in the functions of the College, the chief being that in connection with the Divinity Course. Candidates for the ministry could now pursue only one year of their Divinity Course in Magee College. That was the year classed as the fourth year; for the fifth and sixth years Divinity students would have to proceed to the Assembly's College at Belfast, or to one of the Scottish Theological Colleges.

The prizes were distributed, and the Rev. R. W. Rees, on behalf of the College Committee, submitted the report for the session, after which the closing address was delivered by Professor MacMaster, M.A., D.Litt., vice-President.

# PALM OIL HUNTING.

## VALUABLE WRECKAGE ON DUBLIN COAST.

After the recent storms a good deal of wreckage was washed up along the shore between Clogherhead and Howth. It consisted mainly of ships' timbers, broken and battered, but in some places the wreckage took the form of barrels of palm oil, tins of fruit, and bottles of oil. It is thought that this wreckage came from a ship which was torpedoed off the Rock of Bill during the war, and is now breaking up.

The palm oil is a solid, white, butter-like substance, and the barrels came ashore at Bettystown, Laytown, Gormanstown, and Balbriggan, but Skerries, Loughshinny, and Rush, which are directly opposite the "Rock of Bill," came in for the lion's share. The Loughshinny fishermen, while in pursuit of their ordinary vocation, bumped against barrels of this "queer stuff" drifting in the sea, and towed them ashore. The "queer stuff" on investigation proving valuable, a veritable hunt for palm oil began in the sea around, and more than a hundred barrels were recovered between Skerries, Loughshinny, and Rush.

It is stated that some enterprising people in the locality purchased the barrels from the fisher-people, brought them up to Dublin, and sold them for a high figure.

According to our Drogheda Correspondent, the Free State Government's Marine Investigation Department at Howth, on learning of what was taking place, traced almost every barrel of the oil, and orders for the payment within fourteen days of the amounts which had been received were served on the sellers.

# FREE STATE ARMY.

## NEW APPOINMENTS.

Army Headquarters,
11/4/'23.

The following changes, confirmations and promotions are announced in a recent General Routine Order, issued at Army Headquarters:—

ADJUTANT-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

ARMY MEDICAL SERVICES.

Colonel-Commandant Francis J. Morrin, O.C. Curragh Hospital, to be Director of Medical Services, with rank of Major-General.

Captain T. E. Higgins, Adjutant, Curragh Hospital, to be Adjutant, Medical Services, with rank of Colonel.

Colonel-Commandant Carroll, Chief Sanitary Officer, to be A.D.M.S., i/c Sanitation, with rank of Colonel.

Commandant-General L. P. Aherne, A.M.O., Cork Command, to be A.D.M.S., i/c Sanitation, with rank of Colonel.

Colonel-Commandant S. Doyle, A.M.O., Dublin Command, to be D.A.D.M.S., with rank of Commandant.

Captain Thomas McKinney, Staff Medical Services, to be D.A.D.M.S., with rank of Commandant.

COMMAND M.O.'S

Commandant R. E. Maguire, A.M.O., Curragh, to be Command M.O. and i/c Medical Training, and O/C, Curragh Hospital, with rank of Commandant.

Captain P. J. Delaney, A.M.O., Kerry, to be Command M.O., with rank of Captain.

Captain Charles F. Stewart, A.M.O., Claremorris, to be Command M.O., with rank of Captain.

Captain Mark Cooney, A.M.O., Athlone, to be Command M.O., with rank of Captain.

Captain M. A. Farrell, A.M.O., Donegal, to be Command M.O., with rank of Captain.

Captain Mark Janley, A.M.O., Limerick, to be Command M.O., with rank of Captain.

DUBLIN COMMAND.

Lieutenant Joseph A. Cusack to be M.O., 1st Infantry Battalion, with rank of Lieutenant.

Lieutenant Edward A. Kind to be M.O., 4th Infantry Battalion, with rank of Lieutenant.

Lieutenant Leo Cox to be M.O., 13th Infantry Battalion, with rank of Lieutenant.

Lieutenant Edward Bligrim to be M.O., 16th Infantry Battalion, with rank of Lieutenant.

Lieutenant Peter P. McNamara to be M.O., 24th Infantry Battalion, with rank of Lieutenant.

Lieutenant Ignatus Ryan to be M.O., 37th Infantry Battalion, with rank of Lieutenant.

Lieutenant E. L. McLaughlin to be M.O., 49th Infantry Battalion, with rank of Lieutenant.

Lieutenant P. W. O'Connor to be M.O., 58th Infantry Battalion, with rank of Lieutenant.

Lieutenant Charles Bligrim to be M.O., 33rd Infantry Battalion, with rank of Lieutenant.

Lieutenant John A. Cusack to be M.O., 30th Infantry Battalion, with rank of Lieutenant.

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8 Westmoreland street, Dublin.

# A WAR MEMORIAL PROPOSAL.

The Manchester City Council rejected a proposal to pull down the Albert Memorial facing the Town Hall and to replace it by a war memorial. The whole subject is to be reconsidered.

# U.S. MARKETS.

## STOCKS CLOSED WEAK.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

*NEW YORK, Wednesday.*

Stocks opened irregular. The reduction in the price of Pennsylvania crude oil instigated rumours that "cuts" in prices were being planned for the mid-Continent, Ohio-Kentucky fields. Oils broke 2 to 4 points, several issues touching the year's lowest point. The general market, after temporary resistance, gave way sharply, American Woollen, International Paper, Industrial Alcohol, American Hide and Leather Preferred, and Chemicals being especially heavy. The closing was weak.

CLOSING PRICES.

| Eng. Parity | Stocks. | Closing Bid Prices Tues | Wed | Business Done. H. | L. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 100¼ | Funded | 102⅝ | 102⅝ | — | — |
| 110½ | U.S. New 4½ Loan | 103⅜ | 103⅜ | — | — |
| 103⅛ | Atch., Top., Santa Fe. | 101½ | 101½ | — | — |
| 90⅛ | Do. Preference | 89⅞ | 90¼ | — | — |
| 105⅛ | Do 4½ Con Bonds | 101 | 101 | — | — |
| 84⅛ | Baltimore and Ohio | 59⅝ | 60⅜ | — | — |
| 109 | Canadian Pacific | 140⅝ | 140⅞ | — | — |
| 75¼ | Chesapeake Ohio Com. | 20 | 20⅛ | — | — |
| 24⅛ | Chic., Mil., & St. Paul. | 22⅝ | 23⅛ | — | — |
| 86⅛ | Chicago and N.-West. | 80 | 80⅜ | — | — |
| 12⅛ | Do. Pref. | 112 | 112 | — | — |
| 19½ | Erie 2nd Preferred | 18½ | 18½ | — | — |
| 48⅛ | Do. 4% Gen. Lien Bds. | 45⅝ | 45⅝ | — | — |
| 76⅛ | Great Northern Pref. | 73⅜ | 73⅜ | — | — |
| 121⅛ | Illinois Central | 113 | 113 | — | — |
| 60⅛ | Lehigh Valley | 64⅜ | 65⅛ | — | — |
| 152⅞ | Louisville & Nashville | 142¼ | 142 | — | — |
| 11⅛ | Mo-Pc. Kan., & Texas. | 9½ | 11* | — | — |
| — | Do. 2nd Mt. 4% Gd. B. | Nom. | Nom. | — | — |
| 17⅞ | Missouri Pacific New | 16 | 16 | — | — |
| 8 | Nat. of Mexico 2nd Pr. | 7 | 7⅛ | — | — |
| 3⅛ | Do. 2nd Pref. | 3½ | 3½ | — | — |
| 100 | N.Y. Chi. & Hudson R. | 9⅝ | 10⅛ | — | — |
| 118⅛ | Norfolk & West Com. | 110 | 110½ | — | — |
| 79⅜ | Northern Pacific Com. | 74½ | 74½ | — | — |
| 19⅛ | Ontario and Western. | 18½ | 18 | — | — |
| 48⅛ | Pennsylvania Shares. | 45⅝ | 45⅝ | — | — |
| 81⅛ | Reading Shares | 76⅜ | 76⅝ | — | — |
| 83⅛ | Do. 1st Preferred. | 80 | 80 | — | — |
| 89⅛ | Do. 4% Mort. Bonds | 83½ | 83½ | — | — |
| 35⅞ | Southern Railway | 33¼ | 33⅜ | — | — |
| 96⅛ | Southern Pacific | 90 | 90⅝ | — | — |
| 78⅛ | Texas and Pacific | 74½ | 74⅝ | — | — |
| 146⅛ | Union Pacific | 136⅞ | 136⅝ | — | — |
| 78⅛ | Do. Pref. | 73 | 73 | — | — |
| 96⅛ | Do. 4% Bonds | 90⅝ | 90⅝ | — | — |
| 10⅞ | Wabash Common | 9⅛ | 9⅝ | — | — |
| 32⅞ | Do. *Preferred* A. | 30½ | 30½ | — | — |
| 67⅛ | Amer. Smelt. Refin. Com. | 63⅜ | 62⅝ | — | — |
| 87⅛ | Anaconda Copper | 82⅜ | 82⅝ | — | — |
| 22⅛ | Brit.-Amer. Tobacco | 21⅛ | 21¾ | — | — |
| 70⅛ | N.Y. Cons. Gas | 65⅝ | 66¼ | — | — |
| 104⅛ | General Electric | 180 | 182 | — | — |
| 113⅛ | U.S. Steel Common | 106⅜ | 106 | — | — |
| 126⅞ | Do. 1st Preferred. | 118⅜ | 118⅝ | — | — |
| 109⅞ | Do. 2nd 5% Bonds | 102⅜ | 102⅝ | — | — |
| — | Silver (Foreign Mined) | 65¾ | 65⅞ | — | — |
| — | Do. (U.S. Mined) Ref. | 99⅛ | 99⅝ | — | — |
| 10⅛ | Inter. M.M. Com. Certs. | 9⅛ | 9⅜ | — | — |
| 41⅝ | Do. Pref'd. Certs. | 39 | 39⅝ | — | — |
| 54⅜ | Royal Dutch Oil | 51⅜ | 51⅝ | — | — |
| 41⅞ | Shell Transport | 39⅜ | 39⅞ | — | — |
| 290⅛ | Mexican Petroleum | 280* | 280* | — | — |
| 74⅛ | Pan-American Pet. | 71⅝ | 69⅝ | — | — |
| 16⅛ | General Motors | 15⅝ | 15⅞ | — | — |
| 64⅛ | U.S. Rubber | 60⅛ | 60 | — | — |

*Asked. †Ex div. ‡Ex Bonus. §Ex rights.

| | Tuesday. | Wednesday. |
|---|---|---|
| Call Money | 5½ b. 5¾ a. | 5b. 5¼ a. |
| Ex. on Ln. 60 days' st. | 4.63.12½ | 4.64.12½ |
| Ex. on Ln. Demand Bills | 4.65.37½ | 4.66.25 |
| Cable Transfers | 4.65.62½ | 4.66.50 |
| Ex. on Paris | 6.58½ | 6.67 |
| Berlin Cheques | 0.47½ | 0.47½ |
| Cotton, Mid., Upland | 29.70 | 29.33 |
| Do., New Orleans, Mid. | 29.38 | 29.13 |
| Cottonseed Oil, F. Sum. | — | — |
| Yellow Spot | 11.95 | 11.90 |
| Cot. Seed Oil, Yel., July | 11.95 | 11.86 |
| Petrs., Refined, in cases | 18.50 | 18.50 |
| Do., Standard White | 13.50 | 13.50 |
| Do., Philad., Stan. do. | 13.50 | 13.50 |
| Do., Pennsyl., Crude | 4.25 | 4.60 |
| Spirits of Turpentine | 158 | 158 |
| Do., Savannah | 130—131 | 130—131 |
| Resin, Grade K | 8.05 | 8.05 |
| Do., Grade F | 4.85 | 4.85 |
| Lard, Prime West. Stm. | 12.25 | 12.32½ |
| Do., Midland West | 12.15—12.25 | 12.15—12.25 |
| Sugar, Centrifugals | 3¼ | 3¼ |
| Sugar, New Cuban | 7.68 | 7.79 |
| Corn, West., No. 2 Mix. | 93⅝ | 93⅝ |
| Wheat, No. 2 Hd. Wr. | 137 | 139½ |
| Do., No. 2 Red Winter | Nominal. | Nominal. |
| Do., No. 2 Mix. Drm. | 116½ | 122¼ |
| Coffee, Rio No. 7 | 11¼ | 11⅜ |
| Flour, Spring Cleare | 8.50—8.75 | 8.50—8.75 |
| Iron, No. 2 Nor. Fdry. | 30.00—31.00 | 30.00—31.00 |
| Tin, Straits | 46.75 | 47.62½ |
| Zinc, East St. Louis | 7.45 | 7.47½ |
| Electrolytic Cop., Spot | 17⅝—17¾ | 17⅝—17¾ |
| Do. do. Futures, July | 17⅜—17⅝ | 17⅝—17⅞ |
| Freight, Heavy Grain to U. Kingdom, per bushel | 1/9—2/0 | 1/9—2/0 |
| Freight, Heavy Grain to Continent, per bushel | 9—13 | 10—14 |
| Freight, Cont. to L'pool (high density) | 20 | 20 |
| Do., Stand. (per 100lb.) | 35 | 35 |

PRODUCE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Wednesday.

WHEAT—Spot market firm at 2¢. advance. To-day's export engagings—65 bushels of wheat, 20 of corn, 10 of oats, 25 of rye, and 40,000 barrels of flour. Receipts—Atlantic, 238,000; last year, 146,000. Clearances, 588,000; last year, 124,000.

FLOUR steady.

CORN—Spot firm, 2¢. higher. Receipts—Atlantic, 92,000; last year, 408,000. Clearances, 206,000; last year, 280,000.

LARD—Cash speakers, etc. One of 25 points down.

COFFEE opened irregular, 5 points up to 10 down. Values showed weakness for a time owing to liquidation and selling by commission houses, importers, and New Orleans interests, but subsequently rallied on covering, and the market closed steady, 9 points up to 5 down. Spot steady, 1¢. lower. Approximate sales, 52,000 bags. May, 9.30; July, 8.89; Sept., 8.39; Dec., 8.14; March, 8.20.

RUBBER easy, 4c. down; first latex crepe, 33½; smoked ribbed sheets, 33½.

SUGAR strong, with centrifugal Cuban 12 points up. Porto Rico, 7.66. Futures easy, 1 points higher; May, 5.92; July, 6.15; Sept., 6.30; Dec., 5.98. 7,000 bags of Cuban sugar were sold to-day at 3.78 for shipment latter half of April.

COTTON opened steady, 12 points down to 3 up. Values weakened under selling by Wall street houses and spot interests, disappointing Manchester advices, and bulls unloading May option. A recovery set in owing to adverse weather, a forecast of unfavourable weather in the East and West belt, and trade buying, but prices fell back again owing to the disappointing conditions of the cotton goods trade and liquidation. The market partially rallied subsequently on bullish private crop accounts and covering, and closed steady, 35 points lower to 17 higher. Spot quiet at 35 points loss. New Orleans spot 25 points down. Receipts—Atlantic, 2,000; Gulf, 5,000. Exports—Britain, nil; Continent, 2,000; Japan, 5,000. April, 29.00; May, 29.14; June, 28.56; July, 28.58; Aug., 27.48; Sept., 26.15; Oct., 25.56; Nov., 25.30; Dec., 25.05; Jan., 24.82; Feb., 24.70; March unquoted.

COTTON OIL easy, with summer yellow spot 5 and July option 9 points down.

PETROLEUM steady and unchanged, but Pennsylvania crude is 25 points lower.

TALLOW steady.

IRON steady. TIN firm, 87½ points up.

ELECTROLYTIC COPPER steady.

KANSAS CITY—Wheat firm, 2¢. up; No. 2 hard winter, 121.

ST. LOUIS—Wheat firm at 1¢. rise; No. 2 red winter, 140.

MINNEAPOLIS—Wheat firm, 2¢. higher; No. 1 Northern spring, 138½.

WINNIPEG—Wheat opened steady, ½c. higher, and further advanced owing to cold weather in the North West. The closing was firm at 2¢. advance. May, 122½; July, 123¾. Oats firm, 1c. up. July, 50¾.

CHICAGO, Wednesday.

WHEAT opened at ½c. to ¾c. gain, and strengthened further on rumours, export business, and bullish Liverpool cables. A temporary reaction occurred on wet weather in the South-West and commission house selling, but the advance was soon resumed on a bullish Nebraska State report, a bullish review by Statistician Snow, large seaboard clearances, the strength of Winnipeg, cold weather Canadian North-West, outside support, and active short covering. The market closed strong, 2½c. to 2¾c. higher. Spot steady. No. 2 hard winter, 125; No. 3 hard winter, 124. May, 124¾; July, 124¾; September, 121.

CORN barely steady, ½c. down to unchanged on reports of better weather, but soon rallied, and advanced under decreasing stocks and interior receipts, active short covering, and buying by cash and commission houses. The market closed strong at 2¾c. to 2½c. improvement. Spot No. 2 mixed, 80¾. May, 80¾; July, 82¾; September, 82¾.

OATS firm, ½c. to 1¼c. up. May, 46¾; July, 47¼; September, 46¾.

PROVISIONS opened quiet, and declined on lower hog prices, an inactive investment demand, selling by commission houses, and liquidation. Although a partial rally ensued on covering and purchases by grain people, the market closed barely steady, with lard 5 points down to unchanged, and ribs 5 points to 12½ points lower. Lard—May, 11.52½; July, 11.75; September, 11.97½. Pork unquoted. Ribs—May, 10.02½; July, 10.35; September, 10.60.

BACON steady and unaltered. Receipts of hogs at fifteen principal Western centres, including Chicago, since March 1st total (amended) 4,909,000, against 3,129,000 same season last year.

HOGS easy, with light 15 points to 10 points, and heavy 10 points lower.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| To-day | 9.62½ | 10.50 | 8.00 | 8.40 | 7.90 | 8.25 |
| Prev. day | 6.62½ | 10.50 | 8.15 | 8.50 | 8.00 | 8.35 |

# WOMEN ARRESTED IN DUBLIN.

Madame Gonne-MacBride, Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. Kirwan, and Miss Florence O'Byrne are reported to have been arrested by Government forces on Tuesday night at the offices of the Prisoners' Defence League, Westmoreland street, Dublin. The report is not confirmed.

Several girls are said to have been arrested at North Summer street, Dublin, yesterday morning while National troops were searching the Summerhill Chemical Manufacturing Company's works. Two of the girls who were being taken into custody ran away. They were pursued, and called upon to halt, but one of them continued her flight and escaped. The other girl was caught.

A statement that three girls fired at a party of National soldiers passing Rutland street in a motor car yesterday is not confirmed.


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# CRUSHED BY TENDER.

## NATIONAL SOLDIER'S DEATH AT NORTH WALL.

A verdict of death from shock and hemorrhage, following accidental injuries, was returned at an inquest held yesterday on Company Sergeant-Major Michael Hanlon, of the National Army, who was killed the previous evening by a motor tender at North Wall.

Mr. J. Clark, solicitor, represented the Free State authorities.

Mr. J. M. Seales, solicitor, appeared for the next-of-kin.

Mr. Archibald Hanlon, 29 Munster street, identified the remains as those of his brother, aged 36, single, a company sergeant-major in the National Army.

A military witness stated that he was in a tender trav

*Gramophone Records for April*

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2-053208 With Orchestral Accompaniment 12" Red
Un bel dì vedremo ("Madama Butterfly") *Puccini*

DMITRI SMIRNÓV
7-52179 With Orchestral Accompaniment 10" Red
Hai ben ragione ("Il Tabarro") - - *Puccini*

MARIA JERITZA
2-043025 With Orchestral Accompaniment 12" Red
Einsam in trüben Tagen ("Lohengrin") - *Wagner*

PADEREVSKI
05714 12" Red
Hungarian Rhapsody, No. 10 - - - *Liszt*

KREISLER
5-7986 With Pianoforte Accompaniment 10" Red
Aucassin and Nicolette - - - *F. Kreisler*

ROYAL ALBERT HALL ORCHESTRA
D. 683 Conducted by EUGENE GOOSSENS 12" Black
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E 279 Sonata in D Major, No. 4 - - *Handel*
Part 1 (Andante Sostenuto), Part 2 (Allegro)
E 280 Part 3 (Larghetto), Part 4 (Allegro con brio)

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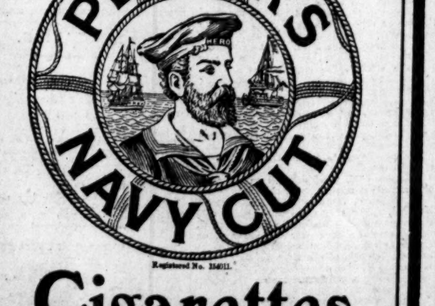


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Mrs. Rowcroft, of Pilmuir, Torquay, has given £3,000 for the purpose of advertising the town.

## EGLINTON.

### TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME AND SELECTIONS.

Cold, east winds have given place to warm sunshine, and there is every inducement to the public to patronise the opening of the Scottish season at Eglinton to-day. The going will be found in splendid order, and the arrival list presages good sport. On the card are seven events. The West of Scotland Steeplechase claims chief attention. The scratching of Silver Ring, Sir Hugh, and Beggar's End leaves Drinmond the sole representative of Gore's stable, and, as it had an undoubtedly strong hand and Drinmond has been scratched from the Scottish Grand National, this may be accepted as a pointer. Still, Drinmond's form is not inspiring, and the winner must be looked for elsewhere. If Derryboy II. is saddled from Coulthwaite's stable he will command a following, and I hear that the connections of Gay Lochinvar are sweet on his chance, but Phantom Bold appeals strongly to me. Selections:—

Redburn Hurdle—**B. Jay.**
Ravenspark Handicap—**Fulneck.**
West of Scotland Steeplechase—**Phantom Bold.**
Irvine Town Handicap—**Vain Simon.**
Hunt Cup—**Crystal Gazer.**
Eglinton Plate—**Orpi.**
Montgomerie Steeplechase—**Sherston.**

[The figures in front of the names of the horses are an index to placings in their last three engagements—reading from right to left.]

**1.30**—REDBURN (S.) HANDICAP HURDLE of £100. 2 m.

001 MARCOPOLIS (Mr. Thorburn) ..... Armstrong 7 12 3
PRIMROSE MINT (Mr. Ryan) Cairns 4 11 2
800 ROSSIENT Mr. Tate) ..... Burns 4 11 12
(The above have arrived.)
450 DART UP (Mr. Kelton) ..... W. Payne 5 12 5
044 BILSTHORPE (Mr. Bickler) ..... Bickler 5 12 4
050 KING OF TROY (Mr. Scott) Thomson 6 12 4
030 SETTLER Mr. Arwas) ..... Hehir 9 12 2
414 FLYING JAY (Mr. H. Brown) ..... W. Payne 6 12 2
310 JUDALIS (Mr. O'Sullivan) ..... O'Sullivan 6 12 2
200 GUY AGNEW (Capt. Rogerson) Burgess 8 11 11
000 DAME D'ATOUT (Mr. W. Brown) ..... Cheshourne 7 11 11
000 NEWTOWN WONDER (Mr. Dickson) ..... Harrington 7 11 11
003 GOOD NIGHT (Mr. G. Dodd) Coulthwaite 8 11 6
004 HANWAY (Mr. W. Dodd) Scallion 7 11 5
000 WINTRY WEATHER (Mr. Bolton) ..... J. Payne 8 11 4
040 CYFLYN (Mr. H. Brown) ..... Brown 8 11 4
00 SET FAIR (Capt. Rice) ..... Rice 4 11 3
004 CORSO (Mr. W. Forbes) ..... McGuigan 8 11 2
000 SWEET AUBURN II (Mr. J. Scott) ..... Thomson 5 11 1
353 FELIX SQUARE (Capt. Wilson) ..... W. Renwick 5 10 12
034 HAPPY JACK II. (Mr. Sanford) ..... Powell 10 10 10
03 THEBONANNE (Mr. Scallion) Scallion 7 10 10
004 KING'S DOUBLE (Mr. Whitmore) ..... Burns 4 10 8
000 TALBOT (Mr. McGuigan) ..... McGuigan 6 10 5
040 SKAGEE RACK (Mr. McCallum) ..... Private a 10 6

**2.0**—RAVENSPARK (S.) HANDICAP of £100. 2 m.

000 HUNKYDORY (late Bizoton) (Mr. Ryan) ..... Cairns 6 8 11
002 DREAMY DONNA (Mr. Dinsley) ..... Dinsley 5 8 8
000 PRIMROSE MINT (Mr. Ryan) Cairns 4 8 5
030 KING CARMELITE (Mr. Bagley) ..... Bagley 3 7 13
000 VALOASTA Mr. Ryan) ..... Healey 3 7 4
(The above have arrived.)
000 KNIGHT OF THE AIR (Mr. Mason) ..... Private a 10 7 9
100 UNDER THE ROSE (Mr. McLean) ..... Private a 12 7 7
000 ORANGE PRINCE (Mr. Armstrong) ..... Armstrong 7 8 8
020 NUN'S VEIL (Sir G. Renwick) ..... W. Renwick 4 8 4
234 MAIDWELL (Mr. Wyllie) ..... Wyllie 4 8 4
000 BELLONA (Mr. Wyllie) ..... Wyllie 4 8 3
0 ZIRELINE (Mr. Wyllie) ..... Wyllie 4 8 2
00 MILESTONES (Mr. Brennan) ..... W. Payne 7 8 1
000 STAGE FAVOURITE (Mr. J. Lowry) ..... Byrne 6 8 0
020 IN HASTE (Mr. Goodman) ..... Land 4 8 0
000 KLARINET (Mr. Kinsey) ..... Private 3 6 0
005 LIGHT OF CUBA (Mr. Carroll) ..... Thompson 4 7 13
023 COBBLES (Mr. Dingler) ..... Dingler 5 7 12
040 FERTILITY (Mr. Glancy) ..... Byrne 6 7 10
002 CHETWOLD (Capt. Gladstone) ..... Gladstone 7 7 9
000 POLLY SCADDEN (Mr. McCormack) ..... McCartney 5 7 8
040 SORCERESS (Mr. Gibb) ..... Fleer 5 7 8
000 FULNECK (Mr. Hedley) ..... O'Sullivan 5 7 7
C01 MAIDEN HYERCH (Mr. Morris) ..... Morris 5 7 5
000 SAN STAFFANO (Mrs. Monsell) ..... Private a 12 7 5
433 FLYING SADIE (Mrs. Mitchell) Burns 5 7 5
400 GOLD LACE (Sir E. Hotlel) Armstrong 7 7 5
000 MINSHANT (Mr. Sanderson) ..... McCall 5 7 3
000 FAIRPIECE LAD (Mr. Cairns) Wyllie 5 7 2
000 FETISH (Mr. McLean) ..... McGuigan 5 6 10

**2.40**—WEST OF SCOTLAND HANDICAP CHASE of £250. 2 m.

000 WATTOR (Mr. Best) ..... W. Payne 7 12 5
012 LOVE LETTER (Mr. Bricker) Bricker 5 11 12
104 PHANTOM BOLD (Sir E. Liddell) ..... Peacock 7 11 11
011 EUPHONY (Mr. Duckworth) ..... Sunday 4 10 6
(The above have arrived.)
200 WAVETOWN (Mr. Hood) ..... Jermyn 8 12 2
101 HERIP (Mr. Coulthwaite) Coulthwaite 12 12 0
201 LOVER PATROL (Mr. Best) ..... Scott 11 11 11
311 SOOTHING GLASS (Mr. Murland) ..... Murland 8 11 9
122 KING SOLITUDE (Mr. Ismay) ..... Hastings 5 11 8
000 DRINMOND (Ld. Queensbrough) ..... Hastings 6 11 8
000 FOXTHORP (Capt. Brennan) W. Payne 7 11 6
405 DERRYBOY (Mr. Morrison) ..... Coulthwaite 9 11 6
042 FUGO (Mr. T. Darlison) ..... Coulthwaite 9 11 6
0 CURRAGH BREEZE (Mr. Whelan) ..... Whitaker 9 11 5
200 GANKEY (Mr. Sullivan) ..... Whitaker 9 11 3
040 GAY LOCHINVAR (Mr. Gordon) ..... Gordon 7 10 15
240 KENDAL DE WET (Mr. Sharp) ..... Gilbert 10 10 12
021 MR. JOLLY (Ld. Tweedie) ..... Bullock 8 10 11
113 REGICLES (Mr. Bullock) ..... Bullock 8 10 11
100 RAVENSPARK (Mr. J. Walker) McGuigan 7 10 7
120 CAMELOT (Mr. McLean) ..... McGuigan 10 10 6
003 DUN SCOTUS (Mr. Burnett) Threlfall 11 10 4
003 GAMEBOCK (Mrs. Gray) ..... Thomson 9 10 0
425 SCOTCH EAGLE (Mr. McDonald) ..... Mcleester 7 10 0
040 SHANNON VALE (Mr. L. Lotz) ..... Scallion 8 10 0

**3.15**—IRVINE TOWN HANDICAP of £150. 1 m.

040 LACROSSE (Mr. Anderson) ..... J. Archer 9 9 0
100 VAIN SIMON (Mr. Clover) ..... R. Armstrong 6 7 13
041 LOCH FYNE (Mr. Kenyon) ..... Powell 8 9 0
000 PETER PAT (Mr. Hingley) ..... McCall 4 9 0
000 PRIMROSE MINT (Mr. Ryan) Cairns 4 8 6
(The above have arrived.)
041 MARCHA (Capt. Wilson) ..... H. Sadler 6 8 13
110 LADY CAROLINE (Mr. Don) Thomson 6 8 1
3 HYMIR (Mr. Milson) ..... Hogan 6 8 1
00 BOLD KNIGHT (Mr. Kenyon) ..... Hogan 6 8 1
003 SUN CURE (Mr. Hall) ..... McCormack 4 7 13
454 ARDMORE (Mr. Mcginnis) McGuigan 6 7 8
000 HITHEFORD (Mr. Brown) G. Armstrong 6 7 8
021 HONEYCOMB (Mr. Fine) Fine 6 7 7
GUINEA STAMP (Mr. Webb) ..... Rankin 6 7 7
221 CARNFORTH (Sir E. Hoare) ..... P. Armstrong 5 7 4
000 CHARLIE'S GIFT (Mrs. Kenyon) Bayley 5 7 3
444 PIVOTAL (Mr. Thomson) ..... Young 6 7 1
051 THOUGHTLESS ROSE (Mrs. McLeod) ..... J. Renwick 4 6 13
101 MOCKING BIRD (Mr. Wyllie) Wyllie 4 6 13
400 DAN ANNESLEY (Mr. Bowman) Peacock 4 6 11
052 SHARK (Mr. McGuigan) ..... McGuigan 4 6 11
000 MAID OF PARK (Mrs. Bone) McGuigan 4 6 11
002 GOING HOME (Mr. Clark) ..... Burns 6 6 10
420 GREEN CROSS (Capt. Wilson) ..... J. Renwick 3 6 10
C04 DOUBLE BLUE (Capt. Elsey) Elsey 5 6 10
0 WINTERTON (Mr. Bruce) ..... Bruce 4 6 9
000 WEE JAMIE (Mrs. Bone) McGuigan 4 6 6
000 CANE SUGAR (Mr. Bell-Irving) ..... R. Armstrong 5 6 5

**3.45**—EGLINTON HUNT CUP (Chase) of £60 (Amateur Riders). 3 m.

DIXON BLAZES (Mr. Arthur) ..... Private a 12 7
CUDULAIN II. (Late Bute) ..... Private a 12 7
ENNISCORTHY II. (Mr. Cuird) ..... Private a 12 7
CRYSTAL GAZER II. (Mr. Dunlop) Private a 12 7
BARNAMAGHERY (Capt. Pell) ..... Private a 12 7
BEDWING VII. (Mr. Kilpatrick) ..... Private a 12 7
KING PETER (Mr. MacGregor) ..... Private a 12 7
(The above have arrived.)
ALBERON (late Jack) ..... Private a 12 7
MARJORY III (Mr. Young) ..... Private a 12 7

**4.15**—EGLINTON PLATE of £135. 1 m.

000 NEW ORLEANS (Sir G. Renwick) ..... J. Renwick 5 10 1
030 ORPI (Mr. Keenon) ..... Bayley 5 10 1
230 PHANTOM BOLD (Sir H. Liddell) ..... Peacock 7 9 12
041 PHANTOM CHARLIE (Sir H. Liddell) ..... Peacock 4 9 4
04 ORNAMENTATION (Ld. Lonsdale) ..... Armstrong 3 7 8
(The above have arrived.)
000 MANLY BOY (Mr. Dent) ..... Thomson 5 10 ...
000 WOODROW M (Mr. Dent) ..... Thomson 6 10 1
321 COLENDALE (Mr. Mason) ..... Binnie 4 9 10
020 HOLY FRIAR (Mr. T. Darlison) ..... Coulthwaite 6 9 9
000 IRON BAND (Mr. J. Bell) ..... Wyllie 4 9 9
700 PITCH PINE (Mr. Elsey) ..... Elsey 5 9 8
54 CREE BRAE (Mr. Montague) McGuigan 4 9 11

**4.45**—MONTGOMERIE CHASE of £1,000. 2 m.

610 BECKERS (Mr. W. Wilson) ..... Vasey 8 12 8
051 SHERSTON (Mr. Sanday) ..... Owner 8 12 5
(The above have arrived.)
101 SAN LEAFAR (Mr. Best) ..... W. Payne 7 12 0
004 HANWAY (Mr. Forbes) ..... J. McGuigan 7 12 0
302 BLOOD ROYAL (Mr. Homer) ..... Coulthwaite 7 12 0
202 PARAPUETE (Sir E. Hanmer) ..... Vasey 8 11 9
202 BRUTUS III. (Mr. G. Sanday) ..... Owner 8 11 9
0 HACKLEHAMPTON (Mr. Scott) Scott 5 11 9
2 JOKER (Mr. Strahan) ..... Holt 8 11 9
00 DUNSTANSTEADS (Mr. Burnett) ..... Threlfall 8 11 9
00 LORD MARMION (Mr. Hope) J. Archer 5 11 9
40 TIPPERARY TIM (Mr. Keenon Bayley 5 11 8
302 MIDDLESBORO' (Sir G. Renwick) ..... W. Renwick 5 11 8
KNOCKINLAW (Mr. Forrest) ..... Elsey 4 10 ...

### OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

NEWBURY MEETING.
Beckhampton Plate—Abbess, Mistress Overdone, Greenham Plate—Swinderby, Archangel.
Berkshire Three-Y.O. Handicap—Archangel.
Spring Three-Y.O. Plate—Swinderby, Patras.

EGLINTON HUNT MEETING.
Ravenspark Handicap—Galloping Slav.
Eglinton Welter Handicap—Galloping Slav.
Eglinton Welter—New Orleans.
Eglinton Hunt Meeting engagements—Dover Patrol, Dunin, Nant Cock, Canry Knight, Phalanx, Jazz Band, Hectic, Hackle, Hampton, Anarchist, Wise Prince, Prudhomme, My Royal, Nobold, Tipperary Tim, Drumbuck, Ailsa Craig.

MISCELLANEOUS.
United Border Hunt Meeting and Hexham engagements—Ailsa Craig.
Edinburgh engagements—White Mountain.
Park Appreciates' Plate, Pontefract—Marcia.
New Stands Handicap, Pontefract—New Orleans.
Staffs Chase, Uttoxeter—Anarchist.
Midland Hunter Chase, Quorn Hunt Meeting—Rejoice.
Novices' Hurdle Race and Moderate Class Hurdle Race, Bungay—Helix.
All published handicaps—Arlington, Declares Hope.
All engagements—Nobold, Clara Desmond fifty (4 yrs.) (dead), Leek II.

## GOLF.

### LEINSTER PROFESSIONALS. DRAW FOR TO-DAY'S COMPETITION.

The draw for the Leinster Professionals' monthly competition at Portmarnock to-day is as follows:—J. Martin and D. Nabney, M. Cahill and J. O'Neill, W. Nolan and J. Quinn, M. McDermott and T. Travers, E. Monaghan and J. Sullivan, J. Murray and W. Holley, H. Lavery and J. Bailey, E. Bradshaw and T. Shannon, M. O'Neill and T. Gaffney, F. Smyth and P. O'Connor, J. Gaffney and J. Nugent.

The first round will start at 10.45, and the second round at 2 o'clock.

### ARMY CHAMPIONSHIP.

In the first round of the Army Team Championship, the Black Watch, seven times winners, will oppose the Warwickshire Regiment. The Grenadier Guards (holders) meet Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders.

Individual championship entrants include Colonel Greer and Colonel Skene, Major Barry (holder), and Captain G. N. C. Martin, a former Irish open champion.

### VETERAN LADIES' CHAMPIONSHIP.

Lady Holderness Mrs. Bourn, Mrs. Laidlaw, and Mrs. Wingfield Stratford, yesterday, at Ranelagh, qualified for the semi-final round of the Veteran Ladies' Championship.

### THE CHALLENGE TO THE BRITISH WALKER CUP TEAM.

Mr. E. Martin Smith has suggested that the challenge match for a £600 charity donation between last year's unsuccessful British Walker Cup Team in the United States and Mr. Spalding's team be played at Deal in the week preceding the Amateur Championship

### £1,000 TOURNAMENT. NORTHERN SECTION QUALIFYING ROUND.

Gaudin (Alwoodley) yesterday, with 141, won the Leeds Cup at Hallamshire, Sheffield, and topped the list of twenty-three qualifiers from the Northern Section for the Professional Golfers' Association £1,000 tournament. Others who qualified were:—Hallam (Cheriton), 143; Compston (Manchester), 143; Vickers (Heswall), 144; Simpson (Knott End), 145; Renouf (Manchester), 145; Barber (Alderley), 146; Havers (Blundellsands), 146; Cooper (Harrogate), 147; Wingate (Wearside), 147; Sayner (Doncaster), Jacobs (Sheffield), Duncan (Ganton), and Button (Woodside), each 148; Simpson (St. Anne's), Herrington (Abbeydale), Jarman (Stockport), Smithson (Dewsbury), McKenzie (Ilkley), Weldon (Bradford), May (Benton Park), Yates (Oakdale), each 149. The following tied at 150, and will replay over 18 holes to-day:—Spalding (Prestwick), Fulford (Moortown), Allen (Fulford), Simpson (Hesketh).

### ROEHAMPTON PROFESSIONAL TOURNAMENT.

At Roehampton yesterday the following qualified over 36 holes for the match play stages of the Roehampton Cup Tournament.—Rey (Otley), 140; Mitchell (North Foreland), 140; Taylor (Richmond), 141; Corlett (Dorset), Jewell (North Middy), Herd (Coombe Hill), each 142; Frostick (Weybridge), Seymour (Chingford), Smith, Jolly (Foxgrove), Bailey (London Country), each 145; Miles (Merton Park), Johns (Purley), Duncan (Hanger Hill), Rinch (Woodcote Park), each 144; Ritchie (Addington), 145. The last-named originally tied with Roomer (Paris), Wilson (Crohamhurst), and Gadd Roehampton), and in the replay over nine holes qualified with a score of 36.

The draw for the first round in the match play stages to-day resulted as follows:—Mitchell v. Johns; Seymour v. Frostick; Jewell v. Corlett; Taylor v. Smith; Duncan v. Gray; Jolly v. Herd; Miles v. Bailey; Kinch v. Ritchie.

Mitchell's afternoon round of 67 broke the record for the course.

CARRICKMINES.—Saturday next—Semi-open men's foursomes v. bogey, for prizes presented by the club. Competitors may arrange their own opponents. Post entries.

MALAHIDE.—Ladies' Branch—The semi-open foursomes (nine club) were played on Tuesday. Result—Mrs. J. G. Franks and Mrs. FitzGibbon, 103 (13), 90; Miss Powell and Miss McKibbin, 109 (17), 92; Mrs. de Frein and Miss T. Bailey, 106 (12), 94. April 15th—" Harden Cup " (match).

MILLTOWN.—Easter Monday Foursome—E. F. Kilduff and E. D. Garland beat B. D. H. Fleming and J. W. Martin in the final, and won. Saturday next—Smalley Cup, qualifying round, 18 holes; draw for partners. Saturday, April 21st—Monthly medal. Ladies' Branch—April medal, Class 1—Mrs. Babington; Class 2—Miss D. Davies. I.L.G.U. silver medal winner—Mrs. Kilduff.

ROYAL CO. DUBLIN.—Ladies' Branch—The captain's prize, presented by Mrs. S. Ferguson, was won by Mrs. Brennan (7), Miss Hamilton (16), Mrs. McCammon (18), 92; Miss K. Smyth (15), 93; Miss Ewing (8) 94; Mrs. H. Mutland (8), 95, and Miss N. Holton (7), 96, were the others in the best cards returned. The winner also secures the April monthly medal.

MALAHIDE.—The fourth qualifying round of the monthly cup was won by J. R. Connell, 84 (11). Saturday next—Inter-club match with Skerries, when the links will be closed for the day to casual visitors after 2 p.m.

CASTLE.—Saturday next—Barton Cup, qualifying round (postponed from April 7th). April 21st—Mahon prize, first round. Entries close on Saturday next

### IRISH LADIES' CLOSE GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP.

JUNE 5th AND FOLLOWING DAYS,
AT PORTMARNOCK, CO. DUBLIN.
SCRATCH SCORE COMPETITION, JUNE 4th.
Competitors to enter through the Secretaries of their respective Clubs.
Entries Close 16th May.
Draw on 18th MAY in the G.F.S. Lodge, Belfast, at 11 o'clock a.m.

Miss EDWARDS,
Hon. Secretary,
Irish Ladies' Golfing Union.
The Laurels, Strandtown, Belfast. —(Advt.)

### GREYSTONES GOLF CLUB.

SUNDAY PLAY.—Hot Luncheons will be served in the Clubhouse each Sunday, commencing on 15th inst.—(Advt.)

### BIRR GOLF CLUB.

Spring Open Meeting, April 23rd to 28th. Programmes can be obtained from Hon. Secretary. —(Advt.)

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## ATHLETICS.

### DUBLIN UNIVERSITY H. AND A. CLUB.

Training for track running has now started, and the trainer (C. Harris) is in attendance daily from 4 to 6 p.m. The first of the club handicaps will be held on Tuesday, April 17th, at 4.15 p.m., and will consist of the high jump, two miles flat, and putting the shot.

## BOXING.

### THREE CHAMPIONSHIP CONTESTS ARRANGED.

*PARIS, Tuesday.*

Three championship contests will be staged at the Stade Buffalo on May 10, as, in addition to the Carpentier and Nilles match for the French Heavy-Weight Championship and the Ledoux bout for the French and European Bantam-Weight title, arrangements have been completed for Piet Robin to fight Raymond Porcher, which contest is stated to carry with it the Welter-Weight Championship of Europe.

## IRISH ATHLETICS.

### ANNUAL MEETING OF I.A.A.A.

The annual general meeting of the Irish Amateur Athletic Association, which has, since the inauguration of the National A. and C.A. in the Free State, confined its activities solely to Ulster, was held in the Committee rooms, Belfast. The chair was taken by Dr. Robin Hall, and there was a very large attendance of delegates.

The first business was the revision of the rules, such amendments being made to the laws of the old association as would conform to the administration of the new body. It was mentioned that the trophies had been handed over to the National Association, the form of medals and the name of the old body being retained.

The rule as to the governing and encouragement of athletics "in Ireland" was retained, while it was made binding that competitions in the championships must have been for twelve months resident in Ireland before the date of the event. Championships will be open to any bona-fide amateur who has not debarred by having competed at an irregular meeting.

On the question of the registration of athletes, recommended by the Chairman as the means of preventing abuses, Mr. Jefferson (handicapper) said he thought the arrangement would be most difficult to put into practice, particularly in the country districts. It would also be a bar to the Association procuring runners from outside their province, and would entail competition with the National Association, which, he thought, was not desirable. Secretaries would have to be on the field at each event, and much difficulty would be experienced in getting the particulars of new entrants. He had practical knowledge in connection with the cyclists. It was decided that the question be left over in the meantime.

The championship meeting was arranged for 9th June at Cherryvale, whilst with regard to the county championships, which are to be "farmed out" to the counties, Carrickfergus was given the Antrim one mile flat for 30th June. Dates for other sports meetings were also arranged.

The office-bearers were elected as follows:—President—Dr. Robin Hall. Vice-Presidents—Mr. W. W. Whitehead and Mr. W. McL. Martin. Secretary—Mr. S. Gordon. Assistant Secretary and Secretary of Race Committee—Mr. Charles Stewart. Treasurer—Mr. Vance. Race Committee—The President, Secretary, and Treasurer. Messrs. S. J. Hutchinson, J. R. Brown, Richard Purdy, W. Mars, W. W. Whitehead, J. S. Campbell, J. Ross, and R. Pedlowe.

## SATURDAY HURLING AND FOOTBALL LEAGUE.

A meeting of the Committee was held on Wednesday evening at 62 Upper O'Connell street—E. Pleamon presiding. The referee's report of last Saturday's match between Bulfins and St. Patrick's, declaring the latter winners, was adopted. The following fixtures were made:—Saturday, April 14th, at Croke Park, Garda v. Clothcthans v. St. Mary's (S.F.), 3.30; S. O'Neill's, Saturday, April 21st, at Templeogue, University College v. Milltown Emmets, 4 o'clock; E. Fleming. All future meetings of the Committee will be held on Monday nights at 7.30 at 62 O'Connell street, prior to Senior Board meeting.

## PRODUCE AND FOOD.

### CATTLE.

WAKEFIELD, Wednesday.—970 beasts and 1,050 sheep, not brisk trade. Small clipped lots sheep 19½d. to 17½d. per lb., medium 16d., large 13d.; ewes 11d. to 14d., tups 8d., lambs 2/- to 2/3; best beef 11½d. to 12d. per lb., others 8½d. to 9½d.

EDINBURGH, Wednesday.—Small show of sheep, and considerable dearer. Halifaxed ewe lambs 82/- to 115/-, clipped wethers to £24, ewes to £18 18/-, calves £10 10/-, best Cumberland rows to £36, others to £28 10/-.

GLASGOW, Wednesday.—Much larger show of Scotch cattle forward, and quality all round was extra good. Steady demand was experienced throughout for all classes, last week's rise being fully maintained. Lighter supplies of sheep on offer, but keen demand was experienced at slightly increased prices.

### GRAIN.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES.—BALTIC, Wednesday.—WHEAT—Cargoes quiet, but firmer held, with Indians mostly 6d. per quarter dearer; No. 1 Northern Manitoba April-May Atlantic ports unless as 50/9, Australians about 53/3, Pacific August-September 49/6, choice white Kanchi May-June 49/3, Roumi (624lbs.) April-May 48/-. Parcels steady, with fair inquiries for North American sorts; No. 1 Northern Manitoba April-May sold 47/9, May-June 47/10½, choice white Kanchi May-June 48/3 sellers, Roumi (624lbs.) April-May 47/, per 480lbs. MAIZE—Cargoes held for occasionally dearer prices, but buyers are cautious; Plate old crop about sellers 38/-, new April-May 37/9, May-June 36/9. Parcels steadier; Plate, old—May 36/41 to 36/6, May-June 35/3 to 35/6, No. 2 American mixed April sellers 35/6, No. 3 Argentine African July-August 34/-, per 480lbs. BARLEY steady, but quiet, and without new features. OATS quiet and prices unchanged; Plate f.a.q. about sellers 25/6, No. 2 Western Canadian April-May 27/3, No. 2 feed ditto 24/- per 320lbs.

MARK LANE, Wednesday.—There was a small attendance of buyers at the mid-weekly market, and business pursued a quiet course. Prices, however, maintained a firm level especially with regard to breadstuffs. WHEAT—English very firm, and suitable milling grades quoted 2/6 to 3/- per cental above offers; foreign steady, but quiet; No. 1 Northern Manitoba 50/6, Roasts (63lbs. 49/-, to 49/3, both ex ship, and Australian 54/6 landed, all per 496lbs. FLOUR firm; London standard straights unchanged at 40/-, patents 42/-, to 45/-, town households 38/- per sack delivered to London bakers. All English country straights quoted 31/6 to 33/6 delivered to London stations. Of imported, Manitoba patents range from 37/- to 41/-, Minneapolis good patents 40/6, Australian 37/- to 38/6, ex store, per 280lbs. MILLERS' OFFALS quiet; bonds easy; 2/6 ordinary 6/6 middlings 7/- to 7/3, bags included, ex mill; Irish oats 6/3, prompt and cash basis 5/9. Feed oatmeal 9/3, ground oats 13/3 per cwt. f.o.r. BARLEY quiet; English ranges from 7/- to 12/4 per cwt., f.o.r., to quality. Of imported, Chittereau quoted 42/6 to 45/- ex ship, Australian Chevalier 46/3 to 51/, landed per 448lbs. Plate 38/6, Persian 36/6, Danubian 29/6 to 30/6, all landed, per 400lbs. OATS—English firm at 6/4 to 10/6 per 312lbs f.o.r., as to sample. Imported maintained; Plate f.a.q. 26/-, No. 2 white clipped American 26/6; 25/6, No. 2 Canadian Western 29/9, No. 3 ditto 27/9, No. 2 Canadian feed 25/-, New Zealand A grade 26/6, B 25/-, all per 320lbs. OATMEAL quiet; London 35/0lbs. landed terms, 24/6 per 280lbs. Maize still cold; 17/6 - refined oats, also white groats, 17/6 - flaked oats 20/6 ex mill, ordinary scottish oatmeal 18/6 to 19/-. American (all oats) 17/- per cwt. MAIZE fairly steady; Plate landed 39/-, American mixed ex ship 36/9, ditto landed 38/-, East African ex ship 35/3, ditto landed 36/9, all per 480lbs.

LIVERPOOL, Wednesday.—The heavy decline had already been partly discounted here, and, with U.S. parcels offered somewhat sparingly, speculative positions of WHEAT here showed no change at the outset, then values ruled slightly easy, and afterwards fluctuated moderately, according to the offerings, finishing the turn easier than last night. Weather on the spot was firm at yesterday's market concession. MAIZE spot parcels again dearer at 6d. to 9d. per 480lbs.

# FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES.

## IRISH STOCK EXCHANGES.

### DUBLIN.

WAR LOANS REACH FRESH RECORDS. BANK STOCK LOWER. RAILS HARDER. TEXTILES FIRM.

The further flash records established in the prices of War Loan 4½ and 5 p.c. Stocks, within a few weeks of being quoted ex the half-year's dividends, payable 1st June next, was a satisfactory feature of the day's business, which was otherwise inclined to prove disappointing, owing to a fairly general, but mostly trifling, set-back in prices. India 3 p.c. was strong also, but Consols relapsed. The Bank section was under notice, but while Nationals were good, and bid for at an advance, Bank of Ireland Stock fell back further on "cash" selling. Breweries and Distilleries were easier, but the Deb. Stock of the Dublin Distillers Company advanced sharply. Marconi Shares were again weaker, but Radio issues were harder. Some Rails varied a little, but the undertone rather improved. Trams and Dunlops were practically idle. The changes in Textiles and Tobaccos were trifling. Barke Pref. were bid for.

In the Funds, War Loan 4½ p.c. rose ¼ to 102. War Loan 5 p.c. ¼ to 103. Conversion Loan ⅛ to 79⅞. Guaranteed 3½ p.c. Land Stock ½ to 62. India 3½ p.c. ½ to 70, and India 3 p.c. ½ to 59⅜; but Consols fell ⅛ to 53⅜, and War Loan 4 p.c. (tax free) ⅛ to 100.

Banks were a bit irregular. Bank Stock fell ¼ to 232½. Royals repeated 11½, and Hibernians again closed 6½ to 7 nominally. Nationals closed ½ higher at 19½-¾ nominally.

In Breweries and Distilleries, Guinness rose 1s to 44½, and Dublin Distillers Pref., after being 1s. lower at 79s., closed 79s. 9d.; while the Debs., seldom dealt in, rose 4½ to 85.

Marconi Ord. fell 1s. to 49s. 9d., while Radio Common rose 3d. to 17s. 3d.-17s. 6d., and the Pref. 1½d. to 15s. 4½d. Marconi "Marine" Shares again realised 27s. 6d.

Home Rails were rather steadier on balance. Great Northern rose ½ to 57½, the Pref. 1 to 59, and the Guaranteed Pref. 4 to 64. Great Southern repeated 46, the Pref. 46½ bid, and the Guaranteed 54½. Midland Great Western fell ½ to 27½, with a subsequent rally to 28, and the 4 p.c. Guaranteed ¼ to 53.

In Tyres, Parent Tyre Ord. eased 3d. to 15s. 9d. for a broken lot. Dunlop Rubber Ord. was neglected.

In Drapery Shares, Arnott Pref. repeated 75s., but Pim Brothers Ord. fell 7½d. to 80s.

Among Manufacturing Shares, Bleachers rose 4½d. to 42s. 9d., and Cottons 7½d. to 42s. 6d. Coats, after being 1½d. up at 66s. 10½d., closed at 66s. 7½d. Courtaulds were firm at 67s. Lever Brothers Pref. issues closed firm. Thwaites Pref. remain scarce. Goulding issues were steady. The Ord. repeated 89s. and the Debs. 75s. British-American Tobacco fell 3d. to 91s. 6d., and Imperials remained 81s.

In Trading, etc., Burke Pref. rose 2s. 6d. to 67s. 6d., and the Debs. repeated 75. McKenzies 6½, Dublin Artisans' Dwellings 6½, and Hibernian Fire 2s. 9d.

Vickers 5 p.c. Pref. (tax free) fell 1½d. to 13s. British Controlled Oil Common realised 1s. 4½d., and the Pref. 13s. 6d.

BUSINESS DONE AT ALL SESSIONS.

Transactions for cash marked "c."

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| Bonds ..... | (699) | 59⅞ | Colloony & Suineford |
| 4½ War Loan..(99½) | | 100 | |
| 5% War Ln..(102⅛) | | 103 | Parent Ord. ..(16/-) | *15/9 |
| 5% War Ln..(100⅛) | | 100 | Arnott Pref...(75) | 75 |
| Conver. Loan..(79⅛) | | 79⅞ | Pim Ord. ..(80/7½) | 80/- |
| War Bonds, 1927..106½ | | | Bleachers ..(42/4½) | 42/9 |
| War Bonds, 1928.*105¾ | | | Brad. Dyers..(66/4½) | 66/- |
| 4-15-Year Treas. Bonds | | | | 98/9 |
| | | 102⅛ | Coats .....(66/9) | 66/10½ |
| India 3½% ....(69½) | | 70 | | 66/7½ |
| India 3% .....(59) | | 59⅞ | Cottons ....(47/9) | 48/4½ |
| Bank of Ireland | | | Courtaulds ..(66/9) | 67 |
| | (233½) | 232½ | B.A.T. .....(91/9) | 91/6 |
| Hibernian..(6⅝) | | 6⅞ | Imp. Tob. ....(80/9) | 81/- |
| National | | | Brunner Mond | (42/-) 42/3 |
| | (19¾) | 19½ | | 19½ |
| Ulster .....(114) | | 114 | Goulding .....(88/9) | 89/- |
| Dublin Dist. | | | Do. Debs. | 75 |
| | (80/-) | *79/- | 9/9 | Lever 7% .....(22/-) | 22/- |
| Do. Deb..... | (60) | 65 | | | 21/- |
| Guinness .....(44⅞) | | 44⅞ | Do. 8% .....(21/-) | 21/- |
| Marconi .....(50/9) | | 49/9 | Burke Pref...(65/-) | 67/9 |
| Do. Marine | | 27/6 | Do. Deb. | 75 |
| N.N. Ord. .....(57) | | 57¼ | M'Kenzie .....(6) | 6¼ |
| Do. Pref.....(37½) | | *38½ | Dub. Art. Dwell.(6¾) | 6¾ |
| Do. Guar.....(60) | | 64 | Hibernian Fire.(6⅞) | *6⅞ |
| S.S.W. Ord. .....(46) | | 46 | Radio Com. ..(17/3 | 17/6 |
| Do. Guar. .....(54) | | *54½ | Do. Pref. | 13/4½ |
| Do. Pref. .....(46½) | | 46½ | Vickers Tax Free Pf. | 18/- |
| N.G.W. Guar.....(52½) | | 53 | Ass. Newspapers Def. | 7/4 |
| Kingstown Harbour | | | Brit. Glass. Oilcake | 12/4 |
| | (100¾) | 100¾ | Do. Pref. | 13/6 |
| Deb. Trams..(7⅝) | | 7⅝ | Mex. Eagle ..(38/3) | 39/2 |

"Odd lot; b bid, a asked.

(Last business done given in parentheses.)

### IRISH BANKS RATE.

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| Discount ..... | 4 p.c. 13th July. |
| Deposit ..... | 1½ p.c. 15th June. |

### STOCK EXCHANGE SETTLEMENTS.

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| Mining contango day... | April 16 \| April 27 |
| General contango day... | April 17 \| April 30 |
| Ticket day ..... | April 18 \| May 2 |
| Account day ..... | April 19 \| May 3 |

### BELFAST.

Belfast Exchange was not so active, but prices continued firm. War Loan Inscribed was dealt in at 102⅛-⅜, and similar prices obtained for Registered Stock. Conversion Loan 5% p.c. repeated 79. Northern Banking Co. "A" dealt in at 5½; Westminster Bank unchanged at 17½. Belfast Corporation 5½ p.c. 1937-47 improved 1 to 106½; Belfast Water Commissioners 5½ p.c. 1963 dealt in 67. Great Northern Railway unchanged at 57; Great Southern and Western Railway Original repeated 46. Coats repeated 67s. British-American Tobacco closed at 82s., last price; Imperial Tobacco firm at 81s. 1½d. Lever 7 p.c. lower at 22s. and the 8 p.c. "A" Pref. 5s. 1½d. Distillers Co. Ord. offered at 22½; Irish Distillery 8½ asked; Old Bushmills Distillery Ord. 40s. bid. Great Northern Railway 1 p.c. Debs. 70¼ bid.

### IRISH TRAFFICS.

Midland Great Western Railway of Ireland:—Week ending 6/4/23,—Gross Receipts, £1,561; decrease, £76.—Coolevilla Peat, £6.—Total, £1,567; decrease, £76.—Consolidated, and L. Ord., £241.—Bonars, 59.—1/6; East Prairie, 56/-+3d.; Jhanzie, £15+6/-; Jokai, 93/-+4d.; Lobong, 58/—1/6.

## COMPANY NOTICES.

DUBLIN AND LUCAN ELECTRIC RAILWAY COMPANY.

Notice is hereby given that the next Annual General Meeting of the Proprietors of this Company will be held at Conyngham road Terminus on Thursday, 26th day of April, 1923, at the hour of 12 o'clock, noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts and Statistical Returns for the past year, and for transacting the other ordinary business of the Company.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 19th April to the 30th April, 1923, both days inclusive.

By Order,

D. McDOWALL GROSART, Secretary of the Company.

Conyngham road Terminus, Dublin, 11th April, 1923.

## SUBDUED STOCKS.

### RISE IN INDIA STOCKS.

(FROM OUR FINANCIAL CORRESPONDENT AND THE "FINANCIAL NEWS" OF TO-DAY.)

In certain departments of the Stock Exchange yesterday, more especially in Industrials, share dealings were numerous, but in the Investment markets the general run of things was more subdued. This was particularly the case with Home Rails, in which for the time being seemingly public interest has almost entirely vanished. The Gilt-edged market opened quite firm and continued so throughout the day, all changes in price leading to higher levels. Only a few of the quotations in Home Funds, however, underwent any alteration, Funding Loan and Victory Bonds being the favoured exceptions. War Loan Fives opened at 102⅛, and remained at that figure until just before the close, when they slipped back to their overnight quotation. Conversion Loan fluctuated between 78⅛ and 78⅛, and at the finish struck the happy medium of the previous day's closing price. Interest in this market was almost solely concentrated on the India division, all the securities in which ruled very steady and closed substantially higher.

### LONDON STOCKS UNCERTAIN.

### BUSINESS DECLINING.

On the Stock Markets yesterday there was a further shrinkage in business, with an irregular tendency. Here and there a bright spot was noticeable, but generally the markets were dull and uninteresting. British Funds, with the exception of India Loans, were unchanged. India Loans, however, were exceptionally firm. The 3 p.c. at 60, the 3½ p.c. at 70, and the 7 p.c. at 119 all rose a point, while the 5½ p.c. rose ¼ to 102⅛.

FOREIGN GOVERNMENT SECURITIES were almost without movement. French Loans were firm and unchanged, while Japan Fours of 1905 rose 1 to 89 and Egyptian Unified rose ¼ to 75¼.

HOME RAILWAYS shared in the depression, and movements were few. London North-Eastern Def. Ord. rose ¼ to 58½ and the Pref. rose ¼ to 82½. Metropolitan rose ½ to 69, but Districts fell ½ to 55½.

IN COLONIAL and FOREIGN RAILWAYS Canadian Pacific rose a point to 151. Argentines showed fresh weakness. "B.A.G.S." falling ½ to 88, Western 1 to 85, and Centrals ½ to 76. Entre Rios Ord.-Pref. rose ¼ to 74½. Leopoldina dropped ¼ at 32, and United Havana at 73¾ fell 1.

## OIL SHARES IRREGULAR.

### SHELL DIVIDEND ESTIMATE.

Conditions in the Oil Share market yesterday were much the same as those prevailing on the preceding day, and business can best be described as patchy. Consequently, while transactions in certain favourites were fairly numerous and resulted in advances in quotations, others met with only a small amount of attention and developed an easier tendency. Leading issues generally came into the latter category. Shells, for instance, registered a decline as a result of moderate amount of offering, attributable to market estimates of the final dividend. It had been anticipated in some quarters that the distribution would be 17½ p.c., free of tax, making the total for the year 27½ p.c. as for 1921; but the view now generally prevails that 12½ p.c., making 22½ p.c., free of tax, is the best that can be hoped for. Royal Dutch again weakened, and Anglo-Persian Ord., although finishing above the worst, also registered a decline. The easier tendency in the leaders was to some extent due to the fact that the price of Pennsylvanian crude has been reduced by 25c. per barrel Closing prices were:—

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Agwi Petroleum | 1¾ | Mexican Eagle | 1⅞ |
| Anglo-American | 3¼ | Phœnix | 1⅜ |
| Anglo-Egyptian | 3⅛ | Premier Oil | 1⅛ |
| Anglo-Persian "B" | 1⅛ | Shell | 3⅛ |
| Anglo-Persian p.c. | 24/10½ | Shell Trans. | 24/10½ |
| Do. p.c. 2nd Pref. | 24/- | Spies Petroleum | 4/- |
| Do. Ord., issued 5s p.c. | 4¼ | Trinidad | 4⅝ |
| Do. 7 p.c. Deb. | 4/- | Ural Caspian | 2¼ |
| Apex Trinidad | 2⅜ | Venezuela | 2⅜ |
| Brit. Borneo Pet. (10/-) | 1⅛ | Do. Trust | 1⅛ |
| British Burmah (£5/-) | 2⅜ | Do. Warrants | 1⅛ |
| British Controlled | 12/10½ | Wilcox | 13/1½ |
| Do. Pref. | 12/10½ | Do. Pref. | 13/1½ |
| Burmah | 2/- | Do. Deb. | 2/- |
| Do. 8 p.c. Pref. | 25/10½ | | 26/4½ |
| Caltex | 1⅜ | | 1⅜ |
| Dacia Romano | 2⅛ | | 2⅛ |
| Eagle Transport | 1⅝ | | 1⅝ |
| Do. Pref. | 6⅝ | | 6⅝ |
| Do. Bearer | 1/6 | | 1/7 |
| General Pet. Trinidad | 2/6 | | 3/- |
| Indo Burmah | 6/8 | | 7/- |
| Kern River (10/-) | 1⅝ | | 1⅝ |
| Lobitos | 6 | | 6¼ |
| Mexican Eagle | 1⅞ | | 1⅞ |
| Do. Pref. | 1⅞ | | 1⅞ |
| Do. 7 p.c. Pref. | 17/6 | | 18/- |
| North Caucasian (10/-) | 1⅞ | | 1⅞ |
| Orthodox Lepse | 1/3 | | 1/9 |
| Peru Syndicate | 5/9 | | 6/3 |
| Phœnix | 1⅜ | | 1⅜ |
| Premier Oil | 2/4½ | | 2/10½ |
| Rumanian Consolidated | 11/9 | | 12/3 |
| Royal Dutch | 25/- | | 25½ |
| Scottish American | 1/7½ | | 1/10½ |
| Shell Transport | 4½ | | 4⅝ |
| Do. 5 p.c. Pref. (£10/-) | 9½ | | 9⅝ |
| Do. 7 p.c. Pref. | 24/6 | | 24/3 |
| Spies (10/-) | 4/- | | 4/1½ |
| Steaua Romana | 9/6 | | 10/- |
| Takkers Pref. | 7/9 | | 8/6 |
| Trinidad Central | 1⅛ | | 1⅛ |
| Trinidad Lease | 1⅝ | | 1⅝ |
| United Petrol. Trinidad | 33½ | | 34/- |
| Ural Caspian | 2¼ | | 2⅜ |
| Uros Oil | 7/6 | | 8/- |
| V.O.C. Holdings | 2⅛ | | 2⅜ |
| Do. 7 p.c. Pref. | 2/4 | | 2/6 |

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|---|---|---|---|
| Anglo-Sum... | 32/9 | N.Hummock. | 21/9 |
| Bataafsche ... | 3/9 | P.I.N. | 2/6 |
| Batu Tiga... | 33/1½ | Palaling... | 27/9 |
| Bor.E.K.Tex. | 8/6 | Pilsner ... | 2/- |
| Brisbane ... | 2/1½ | Rim Malacca. | 3/9 |
| Bukit Cloh ... | 5/1½ | Rub.E.Johore | 2/6 |
| Bukit Rajah | 2/9 | Sapong ... | 2/- |
| Cascadilla... | 5/4½ | Sapumah'de. | 2/9 |
| Chersfield ... | 2/- | Selangor ... | 2/- |
| Chersfield ... | 2/- | Serdang Con. | 1/3 |
| Chersfield ... | 2/- | Soember Alob. | 2/1½ |
| Chersfield ... | 2/- | Strathmore ... | 1/6 |
| Chersfield ... | 2/- | Sumatra Con. | 22/7½ |
| Chersfield ... | 2/- | Sungai Buaya | 3/3 |
| Chersfield ... | 2/- | Sungei Choh... | 2/- |
| Chersfield ... | 2/- | Sungei Kapar. | 4/6 |
| Chersfield ... | 2/- | Sungei Kr. Pd. | 3/9 |
| Chersfield ... | 2/- | Taiping ... | 1/10½ |
| Chersfield ... | 2/- | Tebrau ... | 34/10½ |
| Chersfield ... | 2/- | Telegrendjo ... | 4/9 |
| Chersfield ... | 2/- | Tempah ... | 1/4 |
| Chersfield ... | 2/- | Ts. Tembesu. | 2/1½ |
| Chersfield ... | 2/- | Yam Seng ... | 3/6 |

*Ex div. †Ex bonus ‡Ex rights.

## RUBBER SHARES LESS ACTIVE.

### PRICE MOVEMENTS MIXED.

The Rubber Share market was not quite so good yesterday, though there were many rises, but business was not at general and fell were more frequent. Malacca rose 2s. 6d. to 47s. 6d. Sungei Bahru at 27s. 6d. and Sungei Way at 28s. each gained 2s. Manchester North Borneo rose 1s. 3d. to 21s. 3d. and Anglo-Malay 1s. 3d. to 25s. Batu Tiga fell 1s. 7½d. to 33s. 1½d., Riverside 2s. 6d. to 15s., and Batu Caves 10½d. to 18s. 1½d. The price of rubber fell to 16½d. per lb. Closing prices:—

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Ab.U. | | | |
| 350 | Anglo-Dutch | 28/4½ | —0/4½ |
| 2/10½ | Anglo-Java | 3/4½ | —0/1½ |
| 1/- | Anglo-Malaya | 25/9 | +1/3 |
| 4/10½ | Bertam Cons. | 8/1½ | |
| 3/3 | Bukit Meriatam | 2/4½ | |
| 1/9 | Bukit Sembawang | 3/- | |
| 2/- | Damansara | 18/3 | |
| 27/6 | Grasol Central | 22/4 | |
| 7/6 | Highland | 43/6 | |
| 3/1½ | Kamuning | 3/- | +0/3 |
| 4/6 | Kuala | 20/7½ | +0/6 |
| 2/- | Kuala Lumpur | 30/7½ | |
| 1/- | Labu | 2/- | |
| 1/- | Lingei | 3/- | |
| 4/3 | London-Asiatic | 4/4½ | |
| 2/3 | Malacca | 47/3 | +2/6 |
| 28/9 | Malayalam | 28/9 | |
| 3/4½ | Meriluan | 3/4½ | |
| 1/4 | Moorpy Valley | 21/3 | |
| 2/6 | Port Dickson | 2/9½ | —0/7½ |
| 21/3 | Rubber Trust | 22/7½ | |
| 9/- | Seafield | 17/6 | |
| 4/- | Sendayan | 37/6 | |
| 3/- | Sialang | 21/6 | |
| 20/7½ | Straits Rub. | 21/6 | |
| 2/- | Tali Ayer | 3/- | +0/6 |
| 1/6 | Tandjong | 20/- | |
| 3/10½ | Un-Serdang | 4/9 | |
| 2/4 | United Sua Belong | 7/7½ | |
| 14/6 | Vallambrosa | 14/9 | |

## INSURANCE SHARES.

BUSINESS DONE IN LONDON.—Alliance, 134, 13⅝, 13, ½; ditto New, 12½, 14; Employers' Liability, 8⅜, 8⅝, 8½, 8⅝, 7⅞, 7¾, 8, 8⅛; Guardian, 6⅝, 6⅝, 6⅝, 6½, 6⅝; North British, 14¼, 14, ⅜; Phœnix, 6¾, 6⅝, 6⅝, 6⅝, 6⅝; Refuge, 5, 5⅛, 5⅛, 5⅛, 5⅛; Royal Exchange, 6⅞, 6⅞, 6⅞, 6⅞, 6⅞; Royal Insurance, 18/9, 18/6, 18/9, 18/6, 18/9; Sun Insurance, 18/6, 18/9, 18/6, 18/9, 18/6; Yorkshire, 11½, 11¾, 11½, 11¾, 11½.

BUSINESS DONE IN LIVERPOOL.—Alliance Assurance, 260/-, 9d.; ditto New Shares, 9/8/3, 7/6; Atlas Assurance, 18/-; Commercial Union, 48/-, 6d.; Employers' Liability Assurance, 8/7/9, 8d., 7/9, 8/-; General Accident, Fire, and Life, 6/-; Guardian Assurance, 6/-; London and Lancashire, 12/6, 12/-; ditto 5 p.c. Law Union and Rock, 101; North British and Mercantile Insurance, 14/-, 14/6; Northern Assurance, 42/6 14/9, 15/-, 17/6; Phœnix Assurance, 11/3, 11/6, 11/9; ditto New, 11/3, 11/6; ditto 8/8, 9/6, 10/9; ditto Nelson, 11/3, 13/6, 13/-; Norwich Union, 143/3, 13/-; Royal Insurance, 84/-, 7/-, 6/-, 5/-, 14/6, 18/-; Scottish Union and National Insurance, 9/-; Sea Insurance, 2/-, 3/-; State Assurance, 8½; Sun Insurance, 181, 3/-; Yorkshire Insurance, 11/-.

## LONDON MINING MARKET QUIET.

### DURBAN DEEP'S PURCHASE.

No material change was observable in the Stock Exchange yesterday, the strength of the Gilt-edged market being the only notable feature. Speculative activity was at a low ebb, and in the Mining departments very few important changes were recorded. Kaffirs for the most part remained in a semi-comatose condition, buying and selling being on a very modest scale, and the publication of the Rand output for March aroused but little interest. In the absence of support, prices had a downward trend, and only about a half dozen counters resisted the general tendency. Most of these Goldfields were better, and "Johnnies," Nigel, T.C.L., and Witwatersrand Deep all improved, but Central Mining, Crown Mines, Union Corporation, and the Randfonteins weakened. Durban Deep were again in request on the official announcement that the company has acquired the deep level ground of the Princess Estate, which will practically double the life of the mine. The purchase has, we are informed, been made on very advantageous terms to the Durban Deep. Consolidated Main Reef continued on the downward tack, and East Rand receded. Simmer and Jack were unaffected by the news of water trouble in the mine. The Cape sent over fairly extensive selling orders, and Paris was inclined to dispose of its specialities, and the offering from these on a market already predisposed to dulness created a feeling of nervousness, so that the tone at the close was distinctly dull. Closing prices:—

**SOUTH AFRICAN.**

| M.U. | | |
|---|---|---|
| 1/- | Anglo-Amer. Corp. | 1⅛-1⅛ |
| 17/6 | Anglo-French ..... | 18⅜-19/- |
| 2/- | Brakpan ..... | 2⅛-2⅜ |
| 9/- | Cent. Mining (£5) | 9⅝-9⅞ |
| 3/- | City Deep ..... | 3⅛-3⅜ |
| | Do. Options | 30/6-31/6 |
| 14/6 | Cons. Langlaagte ... | 13 3-4/3 |
| 11/9 | Cons. Main Reef ... | 11 5-6/3 |
| 18/6 | Cons. Selec. (10/-) ... | 16/6-17/6 |
| 7/- | Crown Mines (10/-) | 7⅝-7⅞ |
| 7/- | Egyptian United ..... | 7⅛-7⅜ |
| 25⅛ | French Loan ..... | 25⅛ |
| 21⅜ | Do. 4 p.c. ..... | 22 |
| 16/9 | German S. p.c. ..... | 17 |
| 21 | Italian Broken ..... | 20 |
| 99½ | Japan. 4½ p.c. 1st ... | 99 |
| 87⅛ | Do. 4 p.c. 1905 ..... | 89 |
| 88 | Do. New 5 p.c., 1907... | 85 |
| 61⅜ | Mexican 6 p.c., 1899... | 61 |
| 67⅛ | Do. 5 p.c., 10-T. Treas. | 69 |
| 4⅛ | Peruvian Corporation.... | 4⅛ |
| 31⅞ | Do. Pref. ..... | 31⅞ |
| 1/- | Anglo-American ..... | 3/- |
| 1/- | Anglo-Belgian ..... | 1/- |
| 1/- | Anglo-Egyptian "B" ... | 1/- |
| 2/6 | Anglo-Persian p.c..... | 24/10½ |
| 2/3 | Do. p.c. 2nd Pref. ... | 24/- |
| 1/- | Do. Ord., issued 5s p.c. | 4¼ |
| 1/- | Do. 7 p.c. Deb. ..... | 4/- |
| 10/7½ | British Controlled ... | 12/10½ |
| 10/3 | Do. Pref. ..... | 12/10½ |
| 1/- | Burmah ..... | 2/- |
| 23/3 | Do. 8 p.c. Pref. ..... | 25/10½ |
| 1/9 | Caltex ..... | 1⅜ |
| 2/3 | Dacia Romano ..... | 2⅛ |
| 1/6 | Eagle Transport ..... | 1⅝ |
| 6/- | Do. Pref. ..... | 6⅝ |
| 1/3 | Do. Bearer ..... | 1/6 |
| 2/- | General Pet. Trinidad. | 2/6 |
| 1/9 | Indo Burmah ..... | 6/8 |
| 1/9 | Kern River (10/-) ..... | 1⅝ |
| 6/- | Lobitos ..... | 6 |
| 1/6 | Mexican Eagle ..... | 1⅞ |
| 1/6 | Do. Pref. ..... | 1⅞ |
| 17/9 | Do. 7 p.c. Pref. ..... | 17/6 |
| — | North Caucasian (10/-) | 1⅞ |
| 1/3 | Orthodox Lepse ..... | 1/3 |
| — | Peru Syndicate ..... | 5/9 |
| 1/6 | Phœnix ..... | 1⅜ |
| — | Premier Oil ..... | 2/4½ |
| — | Rumanian Consolidated. | 11/9 |
| 24/- | Royal Dutch ..... | 25/- |
| 1/6 | Scottish American ..... | 1/7½ |
| 4/6 | Shell Transport ..... | 4½ |
| 9/- | Do. 5 p.c. Pref. (£10/- | 9½ |
| 24/9 | Do. 7 p.c. Pref. ..... | 24/6 |
| 3/10½ | Spies (10/-) ..... | 4/- |
| 9/6 | Steaua Romana ..... | 9/6 |
| 7/9 | Takkers Pref. ..... | 7/9 |
| 1/- | Trinidad Central ..... | 1⅛ |
| 1/6 | Trinidad Lease ..... | 1⅝ |
| 33½ | United Petrol. Trinidad | 33½ |
| 2/- | Ural Caspian ..... | 2¼ |
| 7/9 | Uros Oil ..... | 7/6 |
| 2/- | V.O.C. Holdings ..... | 2⅛ |
| 2/6 | Do. 7 p.c. Pref. ..... | 2/4 |

**RHODESIAN.**

| M.U. | | |
|---|---|---|
| 7/6 | Bechuanaland Ex. | 7⅞-7⅞ |
| 2/- | Cam and Motor ..... | 2⅛-2⅜ |
| 17/6 | Charter'd S.E.A. | 17/1-17/6 |
| 9/6 | Falcon ..... | 8⅞-9/- |
| 1/9 | Globe & Phœnix | 1/6-1/7½ |
| 17/- | Globe & Phœnix(£9) | 16/6-17/6 |
| 6/9 | Gold F. Rho. (10/-) | 6/9-7/3 |
| 1/- | Lonely Reef ..... | 1⅞-2 |
| 3½ | Rezende ..... | 3⅜½-4 |
| 4/6 | R. Broken Hill (£5/-) | 4/- |
| 1/3 | Selukwe ..... | 1⅛-1⅜ |
| 1/- | Shamva Mines ..... | 1⅛-1⅜ |
| 20/6 | Tanganyika ..... | 20/6-21/- |
| 1/- | Wankie Col. (10/-) | 1⅛-1⅜ |
| 15/9 | Zambesia Explor. | 15/9-16/3 |
| — | Zambesia Min. D. | 14/3-14/9 |

**DIAMOND.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 21/6 | Con. D. R. W. A. | 22/3-22/6 |
| 14/- | De Beers (£7/6) ... | 14/6-14½ |
| 1/6 | do. Pref ..... | 12⅜-13⅛ |
| 3½ | Jagersfontein..... | 3½-4⅛ |
| 7/6 | Jos. Val River ..... | 7⅝-8 |
| 7 | Premier Def. (2/6) | 7⅛-7½ |
| 7½ | do Pref (£2/-) ..... | 7½-7⅞ |

**AUSTRALIAN.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 22/6 | Amal. Zinc ..... | 15/-15/ |
| 18/6 | Associated ..... | 16 9-16 9 |
| 1/- | Brit. Broken Hill | 1/- |
| 29/9 | Broken Hill Prop. | 1/3-1/6 |
| 2/- | B. Hill Sth. (New) | 12/6-13/- |
| 4/6 | Great Boulder (2/-) | 3/9-4/0 |
| 1/- | Ivanhoe ..... | 1/- |
| 12/9 | Lake View (10/-) ... | 12/9-14 9 |
| 1/- | North Broken Hill | 2/3-2/6 |
| 21/- | Sniphide Ord. ..... | 22/6-23/6 |
| 13/6 | Zinc Ord. (10/-) ... | 14/9-15/- |
| 4/- | do. Pref. ..... | 4/3-4/6 |

**WEST AFRICAN.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 1/- | Akim ..... | 1⅛-1⅜ |
| 2/6 | Ashanti Gold (4/-) | 3/3-3/6 |
| 2/- | Ashanti Cons.(5/-) | 12/6-13/6 |
| 17/6 | Gold Coast Amal. | 16/9-17/3 |
| 1/- | Obuasi ..... | 1/- |
| 4/- | Taquah Expl. ..... | 4/6-5/0 |

*Ex Dividend. †Ex Rights

**TIN.**

| M.U. | | |
|---|---|---|
| 17/6 | Anglo-Con. (10/-)... | 17/6-17/9 |
| 3½ | Aramayo Francke | 3½-3⅝ |
| 5/9 | East Pool (£/-) ..... | 5/6-6/0 |
| 1/2 | Geneng ..... | 1/2-2/- |
| 15/9 | Ipoh ..... | 15/6-16/- |
| 1⅞ | Kinta ..... | 35/41-35/10 |
| 1/- | Kramat Pulai ..... | 1⅜-1⅝ |
| 1/- | Malaysia T.D. ..... | 1⅜-1⅝ |
| 14/3 | Nongu ..... | 14/0-14/3 |
| 1/- | Rambutan ..... | 1⅛-1⅜ |
| 2/9 | Nigerian Tin (5/-) | 2/4-3/0 |
| 9/3 | Pahang (5/-) ..... | 9/1.10-3 |
| 1/- | Rambutan ..... | 1⅛-1⅜ |
| 1/- | Rencong ..... | 1/3-1/6 |
| 10/6 | Ropp (4/-Shares)... | 10/6-11/3 |
| 2/6 | Siamese ..... | 2⅝-2⅞ |
| 7/3 | South Bukuru ..... | 8/0-7/0 |
| 1/6 | Tronoh ..... | 1⅝-1⅞ |

**COPPER.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 1/- | Arizona (5/-) ..... | 1⅛-1⅜ |
| 5/9 | Mount Elliott (£/-) | 5/-5/- |
| 15/6 | Mount Morgan ..... | 15/6-16/0 |
| 23/6 | Mount Lyell ..... | 22/6-23/6 |
| 3/- | Namaqua ..... | 2/7½ |
| 16/9 | New Guinea ..... | 15/6-17/6 |
| 1/- | Rio Tinto (£5/-) ... | 27/4-27½ |
| 20/6 | S. American (2/-)... | 20 6-21 0 |

**MISCELLANEOUS.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 13/9 | Brit. Platinum ..... | 14/3-15.3 |
| 5/9 | Burma Corp. ..... | 6/2.3-6/3 |
| 4/7 | Camp Bird Ord. ..... | 4/3-4/9 |
| 5/9 | Chemical and Met. | |
| 4/9 | Columbian Mining | 6/6-6/9 |
| | Colombian Props | 16 6-20 6 |
| 1/- | El Oro ..... | 16/3-16/9 |
| 14/6 | Esperanza ..... | 13/9-14/3 |
| 12/9 | Kirkland Lake ..... | 13/6-14/0+0/6 |
| 4/- | Mexico Mines ..... | 4/3-4/6 |
| 6/6 | Minerals Separ'n | 6/1-6/4 |
| 14/6 | Mln. Corn. of Can... | 13/6-13/6+0/3 |
| 11/9 | Mysore (10/-) ..... | 10/7½-11/10 |
| 4/7½ | Nat. Mln. (10/-pd.) | 4/6-5/0 |
| 25/6 | New Chuquicamlo | 1/3-1/3 |
| 1/6 | Oonegum ..... | 12/6-13/0 |
| 20/0 | Oroville ..... | 21/- |
| 18/9 | Plymouth Cons ..... | 18/3-18/6 |
| 13/6 | Rt. John Del Rey ... | 13/6-13/9 |
| 28/3 | San Francisco (10/-) | 27 3-27 9 |
| 3/6 | Santa Gertrudis ... | 100.0/6-6/6 |
| 4/- | Waihi Gold ..... | 4/3-4/6 |

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### BUSINESS DONE.

Anglo-American Corp.—26/3, 6d., 5/11½, 6/3.
Brakpan—70/7½, 1/9, 70/11½, 1/3, 6d. British South Africa—71/9, 7½, 6d., 72/-. Broken Hill Prop.—29/-. Burma Corp.—8/7½, 9/-, 6d. Central Mining—9⅜, ⅛, ¼, ⅜, ½. City Deep—50/-, 49/9/4½, 50/-. Combination Mining—5/6, 5½d., 10½d., 11d., 5½d., 5d. Consol. Diamond Mines—8.W. Africa—26/11, 6d., 3d., 6/0½, 3d. Consol. Gold Fields—19/9, 20/-, 19/9, 6d. Consol. Main Reef—9/4½, 9d., 7½d., 6d., 3d. Consol. Mines Selection—7/2/6. Crown Mines—7/6, 7½, 7/3. Durban Rood. Deep—16/1½, 15/9, 16/3, 2½d., 16/-. East Rand Prop.—6/1½, 5/10½, 6/2½, 6/-, 5/10½. Ferreira Deep—13/4½, 5½d., 6d., 2½d., 5½d. Geduld—54/4½, 5/7½, 3½d., 3/9. General Mining—14/6. Government Areas—5½, ⅝. Johannesburg Invest.—2½, 2½d., 44d., 2½, 2⅝. Langlaagte—20/9, 3d., 1½d., 9d. Lyndhurst Deep Level—12½, 13½d., 3d., 5½d. Minerals Separation—6½. Modderfontein B (5/- shares)—24/8½, 4½d., 4/-, 3/9. Modderfontein Deep (5/- shares)—43/9, 5d., 9d. Modderfontein East—10½d., 9d. New Kleinfontein—7/-. New Modderfontein—7½. New State Areas—40/7½, 4½d., 40/-. Nourse Mines—15/6, 4½d. Rand Mines—6½, 6¾, 6½d. Randfontein Central—14/10½, 15/-, 14/9, 10½d. Randfontein Estates—21/0½, 1½d., 21/-. Robinson Deep A—31/10½; do. B—12/3. Rose Deep—12/3, 1½d. Simmer & Jack—9/6, 9/7½, 9/6, 3d., 9/7½. Springs—6/6, 6/7½, 6/6, 3d., 6/7½. Sub Nigel—2/6, 4/8½, 3/3½, 2/9½, *5d., 9d. Springs—2/6, 2/7½, 2/6, 3d., 2/7½. Sutherlands Deep—4/9, 5/-, 4/9, 3d., 5/-. Swedish and Argentine—5/6, 6/-, 5/6, 6/10½, 5/-. Swedish and Argentine—5/6, 6/-, 5/6, 6/10½, 5/-. Southern Rand—6/4½, 6/7½, 6/4½, 3d., 6/7½. Transvaal Consolidated Land—2/-, 2/1½, 2/-, 2/1½, *2/-, 2/1½, 2/-, 2/1½, 2/-. Transvaal Gold Mining Estate—2/-, 2/1½, 2/-, 2/1½, 2/-. Transvaal Land—2/-, 2/1½, 2/-, 2/1½, 2/-. Union Corporation—4/3, 4/4½, 4/3, 4/4½, 4/3. Union Land—2/-, 2/1½, 2/-, 2/1½, 2/-. Van Dyk—1/3, 1/4½, 1/3, 1/4½, 1/3. Van Ryn—70/7½, 71/3, 70/7½, 71/3, 70/7½. Village Deep—13/3, 13/7½, 13/4½, 13/7½, 13/4½. Vlakfontein—2/6, 2/7½, 2/6, 2/7½, 2/6. Vogelstruis—1/3, 1/4½, 1/3, 1/4½, 1/3. Wemmer—3/6, 3/7½, 3/6, 3/7½, 3/6. West Springs—20/3, 21/-, 20/3, 21/-, 20/3. Witwatersrand Deep—17/6, 18/-, 17/6, 18/-, 17/6. Witwatersrand Estates—1/3, 1/4½, 1/3, 1/4½, 1/3. Witwatersrand Gold—1/3, 1/4½, 1/3, 1/4½, 1/3. Witwatersrand Nigel—12/6, 12/7½, 12/6, 12/7½, 12/6. Witwatersrand Prop.—1/3, 1/4½, 1/3, 1/4½, 1/3. Witwatersrand Trust—1/3, 1/4½, 1/3, 1/4½, 1/3. Witwatersrand Victoria—1/3, 1/4½, 1/3, 1/4½, 1/3. Witwatersrand Wolhuter—1/3, 1/4½, 1/3, 1/4½, 1/3. Witwatersrand Worcester—1/3, 1/4½, 1/3, 1/4½,

ON VIEW TO-DAY, FROM 10 A.M. TO 6 P.M.
AUCTION TO-MORROW, AT 29 BACHELOR'S WALK,

## COX'S AUCTION ROOMS.

**SUPERIOR DUBLIN-MADE FURNITURE, PIANOS, &c.,**

Comprising principally:—Baby Grand Piano, by Collard and Collard, full trichord; four Upright Grand Overstrung Cottage Pianos, by Haake, Pigott and Co., Carl Nissen, and Legalee, all full trichord, brilliant sweet-toned instruments; Lacquered Curio Cabinet, Inlaid Rosewood, Chippendale, Mahogany, and other China Display Cabinets; Rosewood and Chippendale Drawingroom Suites, Gilt Chariot, Inlaid Rosewood, Mahogany, and Chippendale Overmantel Glasses; French 4-fall Drawingroom Table, Hair-stuffed Chesterfield and pair Lounge Arm Chairs, covered in silk; Single Hair-stuffed Chesterfields, Occasional Lug Arm Chairs, Cabinet Coal Boxes and Piano Seats, Indian Idols; 5ft. Chippendale Bookcase and about 300 Vols. of Books, including 25 Vols. Sir Walter Scott's Works, gilt-bound; Coffee Tables, 4 Chippendale Drawingroom Chairs, several Spanish Mahogany and Walnut Sideboards, richly carved, and fitted with cupboards; Wine Coolers and Sliding Trays, Set of 8 Mahogany Chairs (6 and 2 Carvers), hair-stuffed, covered in red sealing wax Morocco; Set 12 Mahogany do., covered in saddlebags; 8 Old Georgian Chairs (6 and 2 Carvers), loose seats; Screw Dining Tables, 6, 8, 10, and 12 feet long; a magnificent Oak Diningroom Suite, comprising 7ft. Glass-back Sideboard, 9ft. Screw Dining Table, 3-tier Dumb Waiter, Overmantel Glass, Octo Table, and 8 Chairs (6 and 2 Carvers), covered in ruby velvet; Oak, Walnut, and Austrian Bentwood Hall Stands; Brass Coal and Log Boxes, Brass Fenders and Fire Brasses, Pictures and Paintings; large Hair-stuffed Chesterfield and 2 Lounge Arm Chairs, covered in green Morocco; 4 large Pictures (Dore), Decorative and other China; Bedroom Furnishing in variety, including Glass-door Wardrobes, Cheval Duchesse Dressing Tables, two superior Mahogany Duchesse Pairs, several Mahogany Dressing Tables, Washstands, Toilet Glasses; 12 Bedroom Suites, in Mahogany, Oak, Walnut, and Stained Woods, sizes from 3ft. to 6ft.; Deal Presses, Wardrobes, Dressing Tables, Washstands, etc.; several All-Brass and Black and Brass Bedsteads, Wire and Hair Mattresses, including one double size Brass Bed, complete, cost 60 guineas; Kitchen and Deal Furniture in variety, Dressers, Tables, Chairs, Pots, Pans, and Saucepans; Garden Tools, Wire Netting, Pennsylvania Lawn Mower; a few small Axminster and other Carpets, in good condition, and about 80 yards Hall, Stair, and Landing Carpets, same pattern, equal to new, and numerous miscellaneous effects. Goods on View. Auction commences at 12.30 o'clock sharp. Pianos sold 3 o'clock.

JOHN H. COX, F.A.I., AUCTIONEER & VALUER.

UNRESERVED SALE, TUESDAY, 24TH APRIL, AT
COX'S AUCTION ROOMS, 29 BACHELOR'S WALK,
OF A HIGH-CLASS STOCK OF BRITISH AND ORIENTAL

## CARPETS AND RUGS,

Comprising:—Genuine Persian, Turkey, Anatolian, Eskisher, Sparta, Ghiordes, Indian, Akbar, Malabar, Calcutta, Ellore, and Mirzapore; valuable Anglo-Turkey, Super-Wilton, Seamless Axminster, Moquette, and Brussels Squares; a large variety of Rugs, Billiard Table Surrounds, Hall and Corridor Strips, Wool Reversible Rugs, Mohair, Axminster, and Wilton Hearthrugs; several rolls of Axminster and Wilton Stair Carpetings (18in., 22½in., and 27in. wide); Velours, Curtains, Couch Covers, Silk Rugs, etc. Catalogues on application. Commissions executed.

JOHN H. COX, F.A.I., AUCTIONEER & VALUER.

## NAAS CO-OPERATIVE STORES,

IN LIQUIDATION.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT TO MERCHANTS AND THE PUBLIC

SALE OF THE INTEREST IN THE LEASE
(96 YEARS TO RUN) OF THE ABOVE

## DESIRABLE BUSINESS PREMISES,

IN FULL WORKING ORDER, AND HELD AT THE LOW RENT OF £22 10s.

FRONTAGE 53ft., FRONT TO REAR 83ft., AND SPACE IN FRONT OF PREMISES 90ft. x 53ft.

THE HOUSE is substantially built, two-storey, with well-fitted Shop, Office and Store, six apartments upstairs, extensive Out-Offices in enclosed Yard; water and gas laid on. All in perfect order, requiring no outlay, and situate close to the Canal Harbour, Naas

IF NOT DISPOSED OF BY PRIVATE TREATY,

THE INTEREST IN LEASE AND THE STOCK-IN-TRADE

WILL BE OFFERED FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION

ON MONDAY, 16TH APRIL, 1923,

STARTING ON THE PREMISES, AT 11 O'CLOCK.

Full particulars on application to Messrs. BROWN and McCANN, Solicitors for the Liquidator, ALBERT SWAIN, Esq.

SHOULD THE STOCK-IN-TRADE NOT BE TAKEN OVER BY THE PURCHASER OF THE PREMISES, SAME WILL BE IMMEDIATELY OFFERED FOR SALE IN SUITABLE LOTS FOR ALL INTENDING PURCHASERS.

THE ENTIRE STOCK-IN-TRADE IS OF BEST QUALITY, FRESH AND CLEAN, and comprises

LARGE QUANTITIES OF GENERAL GROCERIES AND HARDWARE.

FITTINGS.—Berkel Bacon Slicer, all but new; National Cash Register, 9 total, 4 drawer, as new; Typewriter, Office Table, Windsor Chair, Fireproof Safe, Office Furniture, Clock, Egg-testing Trays and Lamp, 50-Gallon Oil Cabinet, complete; Floor, Pit, Scales and Weights; Butter, Bacon, and Tea Scales; Scoop Coal Scales, large Bacon Knives, Meat Saw, Sack Truck, small Ladder, Dresser, Bedroom Suite, Bedstead and Bedding, &c.; Six-Ton Motor Lorry, in perfect running order; quantity Cement, &c., &c.

Terms—Strictly Cash. Purchasers to pay Five per cent. Commission. All Goods to be Removed Day After Sale.

ROBERT J. GOFF & CO., LTD.,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS,
NEWBRIDGE AND KILDARE.

SALE THIS DAY, AT 12 O'CLOCK.
AT GAINSBORO' HOUSE,

IMPORTANT SALE OF EXCELLENT MODERN FURNITURE AND APPOINTMENTS, comprising Suites, Upright Grand Piano, by Ochler, Cottage Piano, semi-iron frame (Handel model); Harmonium, Drawing and Diningroom Furniture, Chesterfield Suite (3 pieces), Mahogany and Oak Sideboards, important Secretaire and Bookcase, fine DUBLIN-MADE BEDROOM SUITES, in Mahogany, Walnut and Oak; Gilt Overmantels and Mirrors, Davenports, Writing Tables, Filing Cabinets, Oil Paintings, FINE OLD DUBLIN COLOURED PRINTS, 2 BARTOLOZZI PRINTS IN COLOUR, Engravings, Brass and Occasional Chairs, DONEGAL ENGLISH, TURKEY, and AXMINSTER CARPETS and PERSIAN RUGS, Brass Fire Sets, Linoleum, All-Brass and B. and B. Bedsteads and Bedding, Toilet Sets, Chests Drawers, Kitchen and Culinary Utensils, Outdoor Effects and Miscellaneous Articles.

Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. for Pianos and Carpets at 3 o'clock.

WM. MONTGOMERY & SON,
AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS,
GAINSBORO' HOUSE, 24 SUFFOLK STREET, DUBLIN.

SALE TO-DAY AT 12 O'CLOCK.
ADAM'S SALEROOMS,
19 STEPHEN'S GREEN.

AUCTION SALE OF SUPERIOR FURNITURE, PICTURES, etc., comprising briefly:—Collard square Piano, Violin, Music Cabinets and Canterbury, Walnut Mirror-back China Cabinet, 4 Mah. and Oak Bedroom Bookcases, Open and low ditto, Oak slope front Secretary, Bookcase, 2 Roll-top Desks, 2 Mah. Enclosed Mirror-back Sideboards, Chiffonette, Leather Wagons, Washers, Walnut Diningroom Suites, Sets of Parlour and Bentwood Chairs, Easy and Occasional Chairs and Couches, Antique Mah. Settee, Inlaid Mah. B. and c. and Trio Tables, Antique Carved Georgian Pier-Mirror, Walnut and Gilded Overmantels, Walnut Hall Stand and Barometer, Oak Chiming Bracket Clock, Royal Worcester Davenport, Dresden and other Vases, Compotes and Figures, Ormolu Candelabra; Fine WATER COLOURS, including 4 by B. McGuinness, others by Brocas, A. Nicholl Campbell, etc., Old Mezzo; good Deal Presses and Bedroom Furniture, Kitchen Mangle, Dressers, Furniture, and Utensils; Axminster and Brussels Carpets and Rug, Linos, Pens, Lawn Mowers, Perfection Oil Cooking Stove, 2 Girls' Cycles, Iron Roller, Garden Benches, etc. On View to-day, 10 till 12. Sale to-day at 12 o'clock. Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Auction Fees.

JAMES ADAM & SONS,
Auctioneers and Appraisers,
17 MERRION ROW and 19 STEPHEN'S GREEN.

## 79 HIGHFIELD ROAD,

RATHGAR.
CHOICE HOUSE.
SEMI-DETACHED; NO BASEMENT.
VACANT POSSESSION TO PURCHASER.

Structurally and Decoratively in faultless condition. Superior Grates, Mantelpieces and Sanitary Fittings.

Held for 500 years from 1st March, 1912, subject to only £10 a year.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at JAMES ADAM and SONS' ESTATE SALEROOMS, 17 MERRION ROW, on MONDAY NEXT, 16th APRIL, 1923, at one o'clock.

Accommodation—3 sittingrooms, greenhouse, 2 pantries, kitchen, scullery and cook's pantry, all on ground floor; 5 bedrooms, bathroom, with superb porcelain enamel bath with glass hood; plunge, spray and needle, hot and cold, lavatory basin, separate w.c., hot linen press, heated with copper gridiron; white pottery ware trap, douglas, and entrance, with covered way from front to back; large garden plot at rear and splendid motor house, brick built; tiled roof, interior walls and ceiling wood shreded; good back entrance; electric light throughout. May be seen on and before day of sale by the Auctioneers, daily (Sunday excepted), 2.30 to 5.

For conditions of Sale apply to

PORTER, MORRIS, and CO., 8 Clare street, Dublin, Solicitors for Vendors.

Or to

JAMES ADAM & SONS,
Auctioneers, Valuers, House Property Estate Agents,
Chief Office—17 MERRION ROW, DUBLIN.
Saleroom—19 STEPHEN'S GREEN, DUBLIN.

COUNTY KILDARE.

## BLAKESTOWN, LEIXLIP.

FARM, CONTAINING 99a. 3r. 1P. (Statute), with Residence, Extensive Out-offices, and Cottage. Subject to Land Commission Annuity of £72 12/8.

TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION,
for J. Melaney, Esq.,
on THURSDAY, 3rd MAY, 1923,
At 2.30 o'clock p.m., at

MESSRS. HATTERSLEY and CO.'S SALEROOMS, 27 WESTMORELAND STREET, DUBLIN (with their kind permission).

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to

Messrs. MURPHY and MALLINS, Solicitors, 25 Kildare street, Dublin; or to

PATRICK SMITH & SON,
Auctioneers, Valuers and Livestock Salesmen,
NAAS.

## DOCKRELL LIMITED.

PROPERTY AUCTION TO-DAY (THURSDAY),
AT 1.15 O'C., AT OUR PROPERTY SALEROOMS, 5TH. GT. GEORGE'S ST.

## 10 CULLENSWOOD TERRACE, RANELAGH.
## 4 FLORINA VILLAS, TERENURE PARK.

Nos. 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, AND 13

## PALMERSTON PLACE, BROADSTONE.

This property is held for 20 years at £13 18/6 per annum, and for a further term of 250 years from the expiration of the 20 years at the yearly rent of £57 13/-. The houses 4 to 10, inclusive, are let at rents varying from £56 to £60, but these rents have not been increased fully under the Act. Nos. 11, 12, and 13 are let on lease, subject to a ground rent of £9 18/-, which will expire in 20 years and at the end of that time the Houses will fall in to the purchaser, so there is a valuable reversion. The Houses will be sold separately.

For conditions of Sale apply to Messrs. GILTRAP and LAMBERT, South Frederick street, and for orders to view to the AUCTIONEERS.

FRIDAY NEXT, APRIL 13, HOUSE AND FURNITURE,

## 42 LOWER BEECHWOOD AVENUE.

A MODERN NON-BASEMENT HOUSE, containing 2 reception, 4 bedrooms, maid's room, hot bath, 2 w.c.'s, garden, rear entrance. Possession to purchaser. Head rent, £4. Lease 500 years from 1906. THE HOUSE WILL BE SOLD AT 12 O'CLOCK, AND IMMEDIATELY AFTERWARDS WE WILL SELL THE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

TUESDAY NEXT, APRIL 17, HOUSE AND FURNITURE,

## 3 MT. SAVILLE TER., (OFF HAROLD'S CROSS ROAD), TERENURE.

NEAT MODERN NON-BASEMENT HOUSE, in very choice position, within a minute's walk of the tram line and looking out over tennis courts from the front windows; newly decorated and in first-class order, ready for immediate occupation. Accommodation: 2 reception rooms (with folding doors between), 4 bedrooms, maid's room, h. and c. bath, copper cylinder, tiled kitchen, w.c.; garden; space at back for motor entrance. Head rent £6. Lease 400 years. F.L.V. £26. THE HOUSE WILL BE SOLD AT 12 O'CLOCK, AND IMMEDIATELY AFTERWARDS WE WILL SELL THE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

Messrs. H. T. DIX and SONS, Solicitors, 24 Clare street.

IN RE THOMPSON'S MOTOR CAR CO. (IN LIQUIDATION).

WE ARE INSTRUCTED BY THE LIQUIDATOR, D. TELFORD, ESQ., TO SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION

ON THURSDAY, 19TH APRIL.

AUCTION OF MOTORS AT 27 GREAT BRUNSWICK ST.

9 MOTOR CARS, 11 MOTOR LORRIES, TRAILERS, LIGHTING SETS, &c.

One 4-Ton and one 6-Ton Karrier Lorry, one 6-Ton Commer Lorry, two 4-Ton Caledon Lorries, one 4-Ton Halford Lorry, two 4-Ton Garner Lorries, and other Lorries; two Calthorpe 4-Seater Cars, aluminium bodies; De Dion 4-Seater, Buick 5-Seater, Minerva Landaulette, two Marlborough, one Humber, &c.; 10 Madstrong Electric Lighting Sets, and Spare Parts, these Lighting Sets consisting of Motor, Dynamo and Battery, are intended for lighting country houses, &c., where a public supply is not available. They have proved most satisfactory.

Note—Nothing will be sold at Baggot street. The spare motor parts will be sold as a later date at 27 Great Brunswick street.

## DOCKRELL LIMITED.

AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS,
SOUTH GREAT GEORGE'S STREET, DUBLIN.

## JAMES H. NORTH & CO.'S SALES, AT 110 GRAFTON STREET.

TUESDAY, 24TH APRIL.

## WILTON HOUSE, WILTON PLACE.

HANDSOME DETACHED RESIDENCE, OVERLOOKING WILTON SQUARE AND THE GROUNDS OF THE FITZWILLIAM LAWN TENNIS CLUB.

About three minutes' walk from Baggot street Bridge and the Donnybrook tram. Built about 35 years ago in the best possible manner. A choice Residence, within the City bounds, having large garden, tennis ground, stabling and garage. Contains: 3 sittingrooms, 5 bedrooms, breakfast parlour, bathroom, 3 large pantries, kitchen, etc., and having a spacious greenhouse attached. Possession to purchaser. Held from the Earl of Pembroke for 150 years from 1881 at £15 per annum, subject to adjustment. A bright, cheerful house, easily kept.

GEORGE M. MEARES, Solicitor, 16 Molesworth street.

ADMINISTRATRIX SALE.

## £64 18/11 PER ANNUM WELL-SECURED RENTS,

Payable by five tenants out of Nos. 13, 14, and 15 Fownes street, and Premises in Cope street and Cecilia street. The total amount of rents received is £77 15/9d., subject to a superior rent of £12 16/10d., leaving for sale £64 18/11 per annum. A first-class investment, in well-situated City business premises.

GEORGE M. MEARES, Solicitor, 16 Molesworth street, Dublin,
FRED. A. BRABANT, Solicitor, 12 Gray's Inn square, London.

22 ASHFIELD PARK, TERENURE. — CLEAR POSSESSION. — SEMI-DETACHED, DOUBLE-FRONTED, NON-BASEMENT HOUSE, with garden, yard, good motor house and rear entrance. The house contains 2 reception rooms, 4 bedrooms; bathroom, hot and cold; maid's room, tiled kitchen, tiled hall, pantries, &c.; gas laid on; choice situation. Lease 400 years from 1900, subject to £4 4s. 0d. per annum. Seen on written order.

Messrs. HAYES and SONS, Solicitors, 42 Nassau street.

DUNARA, DARTRY ROAD, UPPER RATHMINES.—

ATTRACTIVE, SEMI-DETACHED, NON-BASEMENT HOUSE. Red-brick front, with granite facings, bay window to roof; large garden front and rear, with side entrance. Accommodation: Spacious drawingroom and diningroom, good entrance hall, 3 large bedrooms, 2 servants' rooms; bathroom, separate w.c.; tiled kitchen, scullery and pantry; electric light and gas; telephone. House does not require any outlay. Held for 999 years from 1898 at the yearly rent of £7 10s. 0d. CLEAR POSSESSION.

Messrs. WILLIAM M. MOORE and SONS, Solicitors, 8 Anglesea street.

4 PALMERSTON ROAD, RATHMINES. — POSSESSION TO PURCHASER. MODERN, WELL-BUILT HOUSE, containing 2 good reception rooms, breakfast room, 5 bedrooms; bathroom, h. and c.; maid's room, kitchen, pantries, &c.; has garden front and rear; electric light. Held for long term, subject to £9 per annum.

Messrs. MAXWELL, WELDON, and CO., Solicitors, North Great George's street.

## JAMES H. NORTH & CO.,

AUCTIONEERS, 110 GRAFTON STREET.

FURNITURE SALE TO-DAY, 12 O'CLOCK.

## 4 MOUNT EDEN ROAD, DONNYBROOK.

HIGH-CLASS FURNITURE, PIANO, AND PLATED WARE; SAFE.

HAVING Sold the House, we are instructed TO SELL BY AUCTION, on the premises, on THIS DAY, the entire Furniture and Effects, all in good condition, comprising as follows:—Inlaid Rosewood Case Cottage Piano, by Hopkinson; Chesterfield Sofa and Armchairs in Tapestry; Inlaid Mahogany Shaped front China Cabinet; Sheraton Oval Table, Mahogany Occasional Chairs and Tables, Gilt Mantel Mirror, Ornamental China, Mark Horses, Silk Curtains, Axminster Carpets, Brass Fire Suites, Mahogany Screw Dining Table, Magnificent Walnut Cabinet Sideboard, with mirror back; do. Dumb Waiter, Set of Walnut Panel-back Chairs, in green velvet; Divan Chairs, in velvet and saddlebags; Walnut Overmantels, Inlaid Walnut Marble Top Cabinet, Inlaid Mahogany Cylinder Top Escritoire, Brass and Brass and Iron Bedsteads and Bedding, Inlaid Mahogany and Walnut Bedroom Suites, Silk Curtains, Axminster Stair Carpet, Handsomely Carved Chippendale Style Hall Table, Grandfather Clock, Best Steel Safe, by Withers; Plated Ware, Table Glass and China, Kitchen Furniture and Utensils. View and Sale to Part, 11/-.

SALE AT 12 O'CLOCK.

## BATTERSBY & CO., AUCTIONEERS.

NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF SALE.

Notice is hereby given that the Sale of Mrs. Bartley's LICENSED PREMISES, MARKET ST., KELLS, is WITHDRAWN, owing to the burning of her Private Residence at Mountnugent, Co. Cavan.

W. & G. ARMSTRONG,
Auctioneers, Valuers, and Cattle Salesmen.
KELLS, and 25 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

THREADSTOWN, MAYNOOTH.

SALE OF HORSES, CATTLE, SHEEP AND LETTING OF WITHDRAWN, estate, 16 ACRES FOR GRAZING.

E. A. COONAN and SON are instructed by E. H. Beauchamp, Esq., owing to ill-health, TO SELL BY AUCTION, AT THREADSTOWN (One mile from Maynooth), On FRIDAY, APRIL 20th, 1923, At One o'clock,

90 Cheviot Ewes and their Lambs, in suitable lots; 3 Saffolk Rams, 7 Fat Sheep, 10 Two-year-old Cattle, 1 Five-year-old Farm Mare, quiet at all work; 1 Seven-year-old Grey Colt, fast, and quiet in harness; 1 Five-year-old Gelding, Untrained; 1 Black Colt, by Craigie Aviator, Untrained; 1 Bay Filly, 2 years, do.; 1 Yearling Filly, do.

About 100 Acres for Grazing to December 31st, 1923, in divisions of about 50, 35, and 15 Acres, as may be arranged.

These Lands are of prime fattening quality, are well watered and fenced. A careful herd will have charge.

Terms at Sale. Purchasers to pay Commission.

EDWARD A. COONAN & SONS,
Auctioneers,
RATHCOFFEY, CLONGOWESWOOD, and NAAS.

SALES BY PRIVATE TREATY.

FOR SALE
BY PRIVATE TREATY.
VALUABLE LEASEHOLD
BUILDING SITE
IN THE TOWN OF BALBRIGGAN

Per instructions of R. Stanley Stokes, Esq., Liquidator, being the property of Messrs. Deedes, Templer and Co., Limited (in liquidation).

DESCRIPTIVE PARTICULARS AND TENURE.

1. All that plot of ground at Balbriggan, in the Barony of Balrothery East, and County of Dublin, situate on the east side of the Great Northern Railway, bounded on the south by a public right of way from Balbriggan Railway Station to the Coast Guard house, on the north by a brickfield, on the west by the Great Northern Railway, and on the east by the Coastguard Station holding, field under lease dated 31st May 1904, and made between William Cumisky and Patrick Cumisky, of the one part, and Edward George Deedes, of the other part, for 500 years from 1st May, 1904, at annual rent of £40, but subject to a sub-lease of portion thereof which was subdemised to the Railway Company on the 6th July, 1905, for 199 years, at the annual rent of £20. The land offered for sale contains approximately 3 acres, as more particularly delineated on the map thereon endorsed, the portion sub-demised to the Railway Company being coloured red.

The lands are the site of the

HOSIERY FACTORY OF MESSRS. DEEDES, TEMPLER & CO.,

recently destroyed by fire, and the liquidator will assign same to the purchaser, together with the buildings now thereon, and the rights of the factory therein, and also the goodwill, trade, name, and style of the said Deedes, Templer Company.

2. All the right, title, and interest (if any) of the Company to a sum of £3000, with all interest (if any) due thereon, payable by the Irish Government on rebuilding, under an award of the Shaw Commission embodied in a Deed of Release between Deedes, Templer and Co. Ltd., of the first part, the Minister of Finance, Irish Provisional Government, of the second part, and the Dublin County Council of the third part.

3. All the benefit and interest (if any) of Deedes, Templer and Co., Ltd., in an agreement for a lease contained in a letter of 13th September, 1920, from William Cumisky to Arthur Marshall, and reply thereto, dated 18th September, 1920, of a plot of ground adjoining the premises described as No. 1, together with water rights, for 180 years, at a total rent of £50.

As to Nos. 2 and 3, the sale will be subject to the consent of the landlord.

Clear Possession of No. 1 will be given.

For further particulars and orders to view apply to

R. STANLEY STOKES, Esq. (Liquidator), Messrs. Stokes Bros. and Pim, 38 College Green, Dublin; or to Messrs. COCHRANE and CO., Solicitors, 9 Leinster street, Dublin, and Balbriggan.

TIMBER FOR SALE.

A Large Quantity of Timber,
ASH, BEECH, LARCH, SCOTCH FIR,
and other Timber—some fallen, some leaning, and some growing—ABOUT 1,500 TREES. Permission would be given to erect a temporary sawmill in a convenient position. The Timber may be inspected at KAPPA CASTLE, BALLINA, and full particulars will be afforded and Tenders received by

MRS. LESLIE KNOX,
KAPPA CASTLE, BALLINA.

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## EDUCATION.

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